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FEDERALS DEFEAT STANBERRY 2TO1

MARYVILLE WINS IN 14 INNINGS AFTER FAST GAME.

MAY KEEP BATTERY; TO PLAY HERE AUGUST 15

Wiley and Richardson, Who Scored a Hit Yesterday, May Be Retained—Meet St. Joe Tip Tops Next.

The Maryville Federals avenged the overwhelming defeat of two weeks ago, when they defeated the Stanberry Red Sox at Stanberry yesterday afternoon by the close score of 2 to 1, in a fourteen inning game. The victory came after a hotly contested and well played game on both sides, Maryville making three errors and Stanberry one. About eighty fans went from here to attend the game and root the Feds to the laurels.

Credit for the game belongs to no one player, though each did excellent playing, both in the field and at bat. There were few bobbies, and no "bonehead" plays on either side, and for eleven innings the two expert amateur teams of northwest Missouri see-sawed and surged on the diamond for mastery, to the tune of yells, hand claps and applause by the loyal fans, without either gaining a score.

Carmichael Ended Game.

The winning score came in the fourteenth inning with two down. Tilson got a single went to second on a wild throw, but died running to third. D. Carmichael then got a single and went to second and on to third in the play to oust Tilson, running between second and third. He came home on a two bagger by Richardson.

Scott secured the first score for Maryville in the second inning. He went to second on a two-bagger and scored on a single by Miller. Stanberry got its lone run in the next inning, when Walker got a single, went to second on an error and scored on a triple hit by Besinger.

Several times after that each side got men on second and third bases, but each time they were cut down by Pitchers Wiley for Maryville or Hawthorne for Stanberry, with the assistance of their corps of seven able fielders and equally expert receivers.

Those who unfortunately missed the game yesterday will have another chance to see the two teams play, however, on home grounds, for Manager Cleve Funk has arranged for a return game here Sunday, August 15—just three weeks in the offing.

May Keep the New Battery.

In the meantime the fans will be able to witness a game between the Feds and the St. Joseph Tip Tops at Federal park next Sunday afternoon. No game has been scheduled for August 8, that date being thrown open through the refusal of Shenandoah to play here yesterday, thereby necessitating that the game with the Tip Tops be set up one week.

But the best news of all to local fans was announced this morning by Cleve Funk. Here it is, listen!

Vern Wiley, who struck out sixteen Stanberry batters and walked and hit none yesterday, and Richardson, his able receiver, who have played together for years, will probably remain with the Maryville Federals for the balance of the season. Both came here from the St. Joseph Western league team, but have played with the Beatrice, Neb., Nebraska State league team for two seasons.

All Played Class A Ball.

Manager Funk is now negotiating for the retention of both at a combined salary of $125 a month for two months, when the local season will draw to a close.

"Dirty" Miller, who played the third sack yesterday, also will remain for the balance of the season, this being his home. He came here from Tulsa, Okla., Saturday afternoon.

Though each local player was on his toes and playing class A ball all fourteen innings yesterday, "Scotty" was especially lauded by the fans for his handling of the ten chances that came to him at his position of shortstop. Not one of the nine chances in the outfield were missed or muffed either, so that really one cannot pick out any one of the nine players as wearer of the crown.

Walker was the champion hickory stick wielder for the Red Sox by getting four out of the eight hits secured off Wiley. The hitters for Maryville were Morris, Richardson, Scott, Miller and Tilson.

Have Been Almost Invincible.

Hawthorne, pitching for Stanberry, also did well. He struck out seven players and walked but one. It is the first game in forty-one that he has lost, and makes the first defeat on the home grounds for Stanberry in three years, while they have been defeated but once in two seasons on foreign diamonds, having lost to Albany, at Albany, last season. They have won every game this season except the one to Maryville yesterday.

The work of Umpire McCarty was considered quite fair to both sides yesterday.

The line-up of the Federals was: Morris, rf; Tilson, 1b; Carmichael, lf; Richardson, c; Scott, ss; Miller, 3b; Vaughn, 2b; Woodard, cf; Wiley, p. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Maryville 010 000 000 000 01	2	8	3
Stanberry 001 000 000 000 00	1	8	1

CLINTON "DRY" BY 237 VOTES.

County Seat of Henry Quits Saloons—Third Recent Prohibition Victory.

Clinton, a city of 5,000 population, the county seat of Henry county, voted saloons out of that city Saturday by a majority of 237. This is the third prohibition victory within a week, St. Francois county having gone dry a week ago, while Carrollton voted saloons out last Tuesday.

ST. JOSEPH HAS BIG FIRE.

Block Occupied by C. H. Noel Lumber Company Burns-Cuts Telephone Connections.

An early morning fire is reported to have burned the block occupied by the C. H. Noel Lumber company, on North Fourth street, St. Joseph, and to have threatened other properties nearby. It also resulted in the elimination of telephonic connections in that part of town, according to Miss Bessie Todd, night operator for the Hanamo company.

The first knowledge that such connections had been cut off came at about 5:30 o'clock.

MOCK TRIAL AMUSES CROWD.

Men's Class Pays Wager to Amomas at Baptist Church Friday.

A mock trial, with the Rev. Lewis M. Hale presiding as judge, and E. C. Moberly, L. C. Gann, Ed Brewer, W. B. Lemon and Clyde Bliss as the "prisoners at the bar," furnished great amusement Friday as a feature of entertainment for the social given by the Men's Bible class of the First Baptist church.

The social was given in the church basement, and the guests were the members of the Amoma class of women, the entire crowd numbering about 150. The defendants were accused of sending letters to the Amoma women, warning them to keep their husbands away from Sunday school last Sunday morning, for fear of dire troubles. They were found guilty and sentenced to pay for all the ice cream consumed at the social.

The social was the result of an attendance contest waged recently between the two classes, when each endeavored to have the greater number at the Sunday morning Bible school. The Men's class lost and paid the forfeit by giving the merry-making.

Miss Smith Leaves.

Miss Irene Smith of Kansas City, who has been spending the past two weeks in Maryville, visiting Miss Gladys Ford, left this morning for her home.

TO-NIGHT

A TWO REEL KEYSTONE FEATURE

"Those College Girls"

Made For Laughing Purposes

Balance of Programme Well Selected

EMPIRE THEATRE

RUSS STAY ATTACK

GERMANS IN DANGER OF HAVING LINES CUT NEAR WARSAW.

TEUTONS LOSE IN WEST

French Report Another Success in Region of Vosges—Italians Continue Offensive—Submarine at Work.

London, July 26.—Only the northern point of the pincers, which the Austro Germans for more than a week have been trying to close around Warsaw and the Russian armies in the Polish salient, has made any progress during the last few days. This point has forced its way across the Narew river between the fortresses of Pultusk and Rozan and is advancing toward the Bug river, which stands for the greater part of the way between it and the Warsaw-Vilna railway, its objective.

The other point, which Field Marshal von Mackenzen is directing at the Chelm-Lublin railway, has hardly gained a yard of ground since it reached the village of Reiovetz, just south of the railway.

Threaten Mackenzen's Flank.

In offering stubborn resistance to the German advance, the Russians are making a continual threat at Von Mackenzen's flank along the Bug river from the east of Chelm to east of Lemberg. Between Krylow and Sokal their attacks have been particularly severe, compelling the Germans to send reinforcements, probably intended to support Von Mackenzen, to meet them.

While Warsaw is under heavy pressure, the Austro-Germans have a lot of stiff work before them if they are to bring their operations to a successful ending by its capture.

The French report another success in the region of Vosges, where they claim to have taken more than 800 unwounded prisoners. The Germans admit the loss of a portion of their trenches there.

There is no diminution in the Italian offensive along the Isonzo river which the Italians say is proceeding favorably for them, but which the Austrians declare is meeting with no success.

ARE PREPARING FOR CAMP

Company F and Fourth Regiment Band Get Ready for Annual Encampment—In Good Shape.

Active preparations of men and equipment for the encampment of the Fourth regiment, Missouri National Guards, at Camp Swope, near Kansas City, September 6 to 12 inclusive, are now under way by officers and members of Company F and the Fourth Regiment band, located in Maryville. Beginning next month, Captain John K. Ross expects to hold semi-weekly drills, probably on Wednesday and Friday nights, in order to get the members in fine condition.

Captain Ross was issued his commission as commander of Company F only last Saturday by Adjutant General John B. O'Mara, but it became effective April 28. Captain Ross reported today that he would have a company of about forty-five men, or a full company, at camp this year, and that some new equipment probably would be added before the time for encampment.

T. B. Maulding, chief musician of the Fourth Regiment band, has arranged with Captain Adjutant W. M. Mann of St. Joseph for a conference here in the near future for the purpose of discussing matters pertaining to the equipment and management of the band here. The conference was arranged for Saturday, but on account of Mr. Maulding being unable to attend at that time, it probably will be held some other day.

The new dress uniforms for the band members, which now number about thirty, are expected to arrive soon, or considerably before the encampment begins. The olive drab or service uniforms have been here for some time, but have never been donned by the musicians.

Plans also are under way by Captain Ross for the establishment of a 1,000-yard rifle range near Maryville next fall, to better train the company members in the use of firearms. Requisition for the improvement has been forwarded to headquarters by Captain Ross. The equipment for the range is now on hand. The leasing of a ground for the purpose is now being considered. The improvement would cost about $250 annually, it is estimated.

Guests at Blatter Home.

Anthony Blatter and Joseph Dailey of Denver, Col., arrived in Maryville last night to spend a two weeks' vacation with Mr. Blatter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Blatter.

MARYVILLE TEACHER QUITS

Miss Phylis Sayler Resigns as Instructor in Grades on Account of Illness.

Miss Phylis Sayler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sayler of Maryville, has formally presented her resignation as teacher in the Central grade schools here for the 1915-16 term. She gives ill health as her reason for resigning the position.

Miss Sayler has taught in the Maryville school for four years and has always given satisfaction, both to pupils and patrons and to the school board, it is said. The board will not act on the resignation until the next regular meeting. Miss Sayler received $60 per month. She taught the A seventh grade.

HOLD 3 FOR THEFTS

BELIEVE THREE MEN COMMITTED BURLINGTON BURGLARIES.

BLOODHOUNDS ON TRAIL

Sheriff and Maryville Chief Track Robbers Who Entered Junction Stores Saturday Night—Swam River.

The hardware store of J. H. Castle, formerly Sewell & Carter, and the restaurant of Otto P. Roney, at Burlington Junction, were burglarized before midnight Saturday night and about $25 in goods and cash were taken. Entrance at both places was gained by breaking through windows in the rear of the establishments. The robberies were committed by three men, it is believed, judging from tracks near the scenes of the robberies.

Three men, giving the names of Ira Dix, Perry Hartness and Leslie Maines, residents of and near Burlington Junction, were apprehended by officers at Tarkio about noon today and are being held for county authorities. Sheriff Wallace will go to Tarkio to return the three men.

The burglary is believed to have been committed by local talent. As soon as the burglary was discovered Sunday morning Sheriff Edwin Wallace and Chief of Police E. C. Moberly were notified. Sheriff Wallace and Chief Moberly, accompanied by four of his bloodhounds, at once went to Burlington Junction and began trailing the burglars.

A trail was at once struck up by the hounds, but was lost at the forks of the river near Burlington Junction, where the burglars are believed to have crossed the stream. A new trail was struck up again this morning on the other side of the river, and the dogs again began tracking off west of the city. The dogs were called off when notice of the arrests at Tarkio was received.

The burglars secured hardware stock valued at between $15 and $20 at the Castle store and $1.25 in change and goods valued at $8 at the restaurant.

"OLD SCOTT" PASSES AWAY.

Famous Horse of Maryville Dies—Owned Recently by C. A. Jensen.

"Old Scott," the horse that nobody knows how old he is, which has been owned by C. A. Jensen, produce dealer, the last two years, died yesterday morning after a night's suffering from colic. "Old Scott" was somewhere around 28 years old, it is said, while some place him at 30.

He was born and reared south of Maryville, but soon became a city resident. He has been a favorite of ministers. He was owned by the Rev. J. D. Ford, pastor of the First Methodist church, until he was succeeded by the Rev. G. S. Cox, present pastor, who also took "Old Scott" over for the time being. It was from Mr. Cox that Mr. Jensen secured the services of the faithful equine.

PICKERING 7, HOPKINS 6.

Carmichaels Win Fast Game from Prof. Thomas' Nine in Ten Innings.

The newl yorganized Pickering base ball team defeated the Hopkins team at Pickering yesterday afternoon by the score of 7 to 6, in a ten inning game. Carmichael and Carmichael were the battery for Pickering, while the Hopkins battery was composed of Prof. A. C. Thomas, manager, and Wogan.

Though a new team in the county, Pickering also defeated Hopkins in the initial game at Hopkins recently by the score of 5 to 4. Pickering also has played Arkoe. It was scheduled to play Parnell yesterday, but the game was later called off.

600 TO COMPETE

MANY BOYS AND GIRLS ENTER ANNUAL COUNTY CONTEST.

TO COMBINE 4 EVENTS

Agricultural Show, Normal Institute, Teachers' Meet and Style Show in October—Seek $1,500 Fund.

About 325 boys and 276 girls have already enrolled for the seventh annual contest of the Nodaway county agricultural and domestic science show, to be held at the Normal, October 28, 29 and 30, in connection with the Normal farm and home institute, the annual county teachers' meeting and the style show to be put on by the merchants of Maryville the last week in October.

The enrollment is still continuing, Manager Bert Cooper announces, and the list is growing daily. It is believed that about 800 boys and girls of Nodaway county will compete in the contest next fall to about 600 competing last fall.

This is brought about through a more extensive advertising and the addition of more and better prizes, specially for the acre yields in corn. The prizes for the best acre yields in corn, open to both boys and girls this year will be $50, $40, $30, $25, $20, $15, $10 and $5, making an aggregate of $185 for the eight prizes in the corn acreage yield, compared to about $100 last year.

Make Contest More Extensive.

The addition of more prizes for apple exhibits and the inclusion of a bread judging contest, open to both boys and girls between the ages of 10 and 17, with prizes ranging from $5 down to 50 cents, also will help materially in attracting more Nodaway county youths in the annual contest next fall, it is believed.

So, with less restrictions placed on contestants in the show next fall and the addition of many more prizes, which brings the aggregate amount of prizes offered to $956, everything points to a record exhibition of agricultural, horticultural and domestic science and home economics products by boys and girls of the county.

But the offer of nearly $1,000 in prizes is not all the expense that will be incurred by any means. Last year the show cost approximately $1,300, while this year it cannot be held for less than $1,500, it is said, on account of the addition of prizes and a more extensive exhibit being arranged.

Keep Contestants Informed.

County Superintendent Cooper, as a representative of the association, is constantly in touch with all contestants and supplies them with all the latest information from the agricultural experiment stations and the U. S. department of agriculture. In addition to that all the literature put out by the state boys' and girls' corn growing and domestic science clubs are furnished to these boys and girls. In this way the contestants are kept "up to the minute" in the newest and most improved methods. It is educational to the fullest extent.

To Canvass Fund at Once.

The Agricultural and Domestic Science association has long ago become established as a permanent institution in Nodaway county, and is recognized as the leading factor in the agricultural development of the community.

The annual contests are under the control of an executive committee of the association, the members of which are Miss Hettie Anthony, Prof. John E. Cameron, James B. Robinson, G. L. Wilfley, Joseph Jackson, Jr., Paul Sisson, E. E. Williams, secretary and treasurer, and A. H. Cooper, president and manager.

Members of this committee will call upon the business men this week, beginning today, for their annual subscriptions. It is anticipated that a liberal fund will be contributed, as larger and a greater number of prizes are offered this year, and the men in charge of the business interests of the city fully appreciate the educational and commercial value of this institution.

To Live in Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Worley Funk and children of Lincoln, Neb., who have been visiting at the home of Mr. Funk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Funk and other relatives, left this morning for Omaha, Neb., where they will make their home in future.

Kid Team Goes to Hopkins.

The Maryville kid base ball team, under young Costello, went to Hopkins today to play a boys' team of that town this afternoon.

BURN $4,000 SCHOOL BONDS

George Wright Applies Torch to Notes, Leaving $41,000 of $75,000 Yet to Pay.

While a large crowd looked on, George Pat Wright, secretary of the Maryville school board, applied a match to $4,000 in bonds at the northwest corner of Third and Main streets this morning and watched it go up in smoke. It represented the year's payment of a portion of the $75,000 in bonds contracted for several years ago to build the Central school building.

But $41,000 of the bonds remain to be paid off yet. Two payments of bonds were made the past year.

500 AT 'UTTER DAY' MEET

Retiring Superintendent of Christian Bible School Given Handsome Gift—Held Special Service.

Over five hundred people attended the special service yesterday morning at the First Christian Bible school as a farewell for the superintendent, Prof. Ennis R. Utter, and Mrs. Utter.

All plans were made for making the service an attractive one, and the program was carried out as announced, with the exception of a surprise in the way of a handsome gift for Mr. Utter, given by the members of the school. The gift was a fine leather traveling bag, and the presentation speech was made by Ellis G. Cook.

Beside the musical part of the program, an address on "Mr. Utter" was given by G. L. Wilfley, and an address on the subject "Mrs. Utter" was given by Miss Laura Hawkins. Mr. and Mrs. Utter gave a response to each, and this was followed by the talk by Mr. Cook.

An especial recognition and appreciation of the services of both Mr. and Mrs. Utter in the Bible school work was shown in the adoption of resolutions of love and respect, which were unanimously sanctioned by the entire school, and will become a matter of church record in future.

The committee framing the resolution which expressed the sentiments of the entire membership was composed of Ellis G. Cook, Mayor U. S. Wright, A. S. Robey and the Rev. Robert L. Finch.

Prof. and Mrs. Utter leave soon for Berkeley, Cal., where Mr. Utter will take a year's study course at the University of California.

NEAR-CENTENARIAN DEAD.

Jeremiah Finnigan, 96, Succumbs at St. Francis Hospital.

Jeremiah Finnigan, 96 years old, died late yesterday afternoon at St. Francis hospital in this city. Seven years ago, in company with his brother, who is but a few years younger, Mr. Finnigan came from Atchison, Kan., to make his home at the hospital, and had lived there continuously for that time.

The body, accompanied by two brothers from Atchison, Kan., who came to Maryville yesterday, will be taken to Atchison for burial, leaving here tomorrow morning.

CLEARMONT NINE DEFEATED.

Bedford-Hopkins and Burlington Junction-Clarinda Games Called Off On Account of Rain.

The Tarkio base ball team won from the Clearmont team by a score of 6 to 1 in a game played at Clearmont yesterday afternoon.

On account of the rain the game scheduled to be played at Bedford between the Bedford and Hopkins nines was called off, and instead the Hopkins nine played Pickering.

For the same reason the game to have been played at Bever park, Burlington Junction, by the Burlington Boosters and Clarinda, Ia., nine was deferred.

SWALLOW TEACHER QUITS.

Miss Clara Clymen Resigns Before School Begins—Former Teacher Marries.

Miss Clara Clymen, who was recently elected to teach the Swallow district school, ten miles south of Maryville, has resigned, according to notice received today by County School Superintendent Bert Cooper. She gave no reason. Miss Clymen taught at the Liberty school, near Skidmore, last term.

Miss Zella Barton, who taught at the Swallow school last term, quit last spring to get married.

ALL AID IN CIVIC CLUBDISPLAYMOVE

NODAWAY COUNTY AND BEDFORD BOOSTERS TO MEET TONIGHT.

COMMUNITY LEADERS WILL LAUNCH PLANS

Propose District Agricultural Exhibits at Fairs and Better Burlington Train Service—Banquet First.

The monthly banquet and meeting of the Maryville Commercial club in the basement of the Elks club at 6:30 o'clock tonight will not be entirely composed of local boosters by any means, nor even confined to leaders in Nodaway county, for several Iowans also are to be among those present.

Such is the announcement today of W. R. Jackson, club secretary, who has received definite promise of attendance by many living in all parts of the county and also from Bedford, Ia., boosters. Maulding's orchestra will furnish music during the banquet.

After the "eats," which will be plenty and wholesome, as well as palate teasing, the club members and guests will settle down to just two topics, no more no less—unless a few minor business matters of local importance might be considered at the start. But the real purpose of the meeting is twofold.

Plan Agricultural Displays.

First will come the consideration of township exhibits at the Nodaway county fair here next month, for which prizes have been offered for the best displays of agricultural products, and of a county exhibit at the Missouri state fair in Sedalia next fall.

Dan R. Baker will introduce that topic, while Prof. R. A. Kinnaird, who is to have charge of the county exhibit, will follow with an explanatory address. Others will then be asked to speak on the topic. Leaders for each township also may be appointed tonight.

The second topic will be to gather and present data relative to assuring connections on this branch of the Burlington with the fast eastbound trains at Creston at night. This is considered possible by holding No. 10 at Amazonia, instead of St. Joseph, for passenger trains from the west, and also by shortening the stopping time at the various stations enroute.

John H. Sewell will introduce that topic.

These Will Attend.

Among those who have already definitely announced their intention of being present tonight are: Frank Dunning, president of the Citizens' bank of Bedford, Ia., and W. H. Gooding of the jewelry firm of Gooding Brothers of Bedford, representing the Business Men's association of Bedford, Ia., and Frank Wilkins, a banker of Bedford; E. A. Miller, secretary, and two other members of the Hopkins Commercial club of Hopkins; Vern Wray, a merchant of Pickering; J. C. Hocker, banker, and Floyd Westfall, former member of the county court, of Barnard; Guy Clary and Roy Hanna of Clearmont.

Among others who are expected are: Ort Wilson, stockman, near Burlington Junction; George P. Shoptaugh, Elmo; William Gex, Graham; Sherman Heflin, White Cloud township; the Rev. C. R. Green, pastor at Harmony church, and Emmett Bishop of near Ravenwood.

S. A. Roach, a merchant, and John A. Field, a banker, of Barnard, also have signified their intentions of attending the Commercial club banquet tonight.

To Visit at Stanberry.

Mrs. R. S. Braniger and Miss Elizabeth Evans left this morning for Stanberry to spend a few days visiting Misses Ruby and Pearl Tibbetts.

THE WEATHER

Unsettled with probably rain tonight or tomorrow.

When Out of the Night Which was Fifty Below and Into the Den and the Glare, There Stambled A Miner Flush From the Creeks Dog Dirty and Loaded for Bear

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Step into the length and do not turn the knees out too much. See how smoothly you can glide along and take natural deep breaths as you move.

This will give you the feeling that you are being wafted through instead of laboriously treading on hard earth.

Tip the upper part of your body slightly forward to partly cover your feet. Try to forget your feet and create desire to attract attention to your head instead.

Strike down with the heel, but let the weight slip to the outer and fore part of the foot and this will break the jar on the sole of the foot and lessen the strain on the arch.

If you are not a walking enthusiast begin your regime gradually. Start to cover a mile, then two and gradually up to five or six. Any man or woman should be able to walk five miles and even six or eight without feeling any bad effects.

Mrs. Hoffman Here.

Mrs. John I. Hoffman arrived in the city this morning from Washington, D. C., to visit her mother, Mrs. Melissa Casteel.

Arrive from Kansas City.

Mrs. Jesse Daniels and children of Kansas City arrived in Maryville Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Strader, and Mr. Daniels' mother, Mrs. Anna Daniels.

Spent Week End.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frank spent the week end at Bolckow the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Dunn.

RADIUM EXPERT SAILS.

Dr. Bissell Will Treat Wounded in London Hospital.

New York.—Dr. Joseph B. Bissell, radium expert in the Bellevue and St. Vincent's hospitals, sailed for England on the Philadelphia.

Dr. Bissell has been invited to do special work in St. Mary's hospital, in London, with radium and radium solutions in the treatment of infected wounds. He will study the methods of radium treatment employed at the Radium institute of London and at similar institutions in Edinburgh, Manchester and Dublin. He has also been invited to visit the Paris Radium institute.

Dr. Bissell has the largest amount of radium possessed by any one person in New York city and is suggested as managing director of the radium institute being planned by philanthropists of this city.

PLANNING TO REMODEL ENTIRE CHINESE ARMY

Soldiers Will Be Equipped With Uniform Weapons.

Peking.—China's military forces are to be remodeled from top to bottom. As a first step arms of the line regiments are to be unified.

A most important conference has just been held at the Winter palace, the residence of Yuan Shih Kai. There were present, in addition to the president and his cabinet and the highest ranking military and naval officers, several of the most influential Chinese not officially connected with the government.

Problems of national defense were touched upon in a brief speech by the president, who made it clear that he regards war as the greatest among apparently necessary evils. His words made a deep impression upon those present, and in the discussion which followed there was absolutely single mindedness in indorsing Yuan's position. The conference decided that new docks were absolutely necessary; that the arsenals must be modernized and expanded; that service in the army must be popularized and adequately compensated; that coast defenses must be established and, where obsolete or inadequate, reconstructed, and that naval bases must be provided for north and south China.

The principal decision, however, was that of providing for the unification of Chinese armaments. The six army divisions, investigation has proved, use ten or more different types of guns. It is proposed to replace these with one style which will possess the best features of the best modern weapon.

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2 lbs 20c Bulk Coffee for 25c
30c grade Peaberry Coffee, 4½ lbs for $1.00
40c grade Gunpowder Tea, 2 lbs 50c
25c can (25 ozs) Kansas City Baking Powder for 16c
10 lb pkgs Cow Soda, 4 for 25c
25c sack (14 lbs) Fine Table Salt 18c
10c box (5 lbs) Table Salt, 4 for 25c
10c box Log Cabin Free Running Salt for 5c
5c cans Carnation or Pet Milk, 8 for 25c
15c grade Prunes, lb 10c
12½c grade Prunes, 3 lbs 25c
10c grade Prunes, 4 lbs 25c
3 lbs Dried Peaches, good ones 20c
15c quality Loose Muscatel or Seedless Raisins 3 lbs 25c
50-lb cans Lard Compound for $4.25
No. 3 pails Lard Compound for 25c
No. 3 pails Pure Lard, 50c size for 37c
No. 5 pails Pure Lard, 80c size for 60c
No. 10 pails Pure Lard, $1.50 size, for $1.20
No. 1 Michigan Non-Hardening Salt, extra large barrels $1.55
Instant Coffee, can ..... 30c and 90c.
Large pkgs Sterilized Bran 15c

ON WEDNESDAY,
With your grocery order, we will include, if wanted, $1.00 pkg (14 lbs) Fine Granulated Sugar for 98c
Or a 25-lb cloth sack Eagle Brand Preserving Sugar for $1.70

Large size California Lemons, doz, 20c, worth 40c.
Peck Best Cooking Apples, 15c; bushel for 45c
Large new Dry Onions, peck, 35c; per pound 3c
3c per pkg Sunshine Takhoma Biscuits.
Fresh Peaches, large baskets 20c
Good Watermelons, lb 2½c
Quaker Rolled Oats, 10c pkgs for 8c
New Sweet Potatoes, 4 lbs 25c
No. 2, size cans Cove Oysters 15c
Rex Breakfast Bacon, 5 to 8-lb. pieces at per pound 17c
Our Best Japan Tea 60c grade, per pound 33c
Ice Tea Blend, prepared especially for making iced tea, per pound 45c
Fairy or Ivory Soap 10c bars 39c
100-lbs sacks purity brand Poultry Feed $2.00
Pure Cider Vinegar, 35c kind, gallon, (if you come for it) 19c
Swifts Sun Bright Cleanser, 4 cans 15c
Nix Kitchen Cleanser, 5 cans 15c
1-lb Pure Ground Black Pepper 19c
Whole Mixed Pickling Spice ½ lb 12c
Best Creamery Butter, 2 pounds 55c
Pound Cans Royal Crown, or Planters House, Steel Cut Coffee 22c

TOWNSENDS
FOURTH AND MAIN STS

HOLT SCHOOLED IN BOMB MAKING

Practiced Work of Destruction in Bungalow on Long Island.

HEALTH POOR, HIS EXCUSE.

Man Who Shot Morgan and Then Ended Life Practiced Target Shooting. Acid Eaten Lead Pencils Used to Stir Deadly Mixture—Match Heads Used In Capitol Bomb.

New York.—Positive evidence showing that Frank Holt, who shot J. Pierpont Morgan and then ended his life in the Mineola (N. Y.) jail, had a secret storehouse for his explosives and that he experimented there with bombs and also practiced revolver shooting was discovered on Long Island.

A little bungalow on the outskirts of Central Park, a secluded hamlet six miles from Syosset and about twelve miles from Glen Cove, is where Holt, under the pseudonym of Totten, conducted his experiments. He left there on the morning of Friday, July 2.

Photos by American Press Association.

HOLT AND MR. MORGAN.

That night the capitol in Washington was dynamited, and the next morning the financier was attacked.

Chief Constable McCahill of Glen Cove, who had been scouring Long Island ever since Mr. Morgan was shot, heard that there had been a lot of gossip about Central Park concerning a strange man who had rented a tiny bungalow which stands in a thick clump of pine trees on the outskirts of the hamlet.

McCahill learned this man, tall, smooth shaved and with a receding chin, alighted from a train at Central Park and approached Richard Russell, a resident of the place. He asked if Russell could tell him where he could find Louis Ott, a real estate man of the village. Ott was not about at the time, so the stranger, who volunteered to Russell that his name was Hendricks and that he was an invalid, strolled about the village until the real estate man returned. To Ott he said:

"I am in very poor health, and my doctor has ordered me to a quiet place in the country. I would like a little cottage of some sort where I could have absolute rest and do some literary work. Who owns that small bungalow down there in the pines?"

Ott told him that a Mr. Arnold of Brooklyn owned the place and would rent it. So the stranger, now giving his name as Totten, engaged the bungalow for two weeks. He had with him a suit case the day he talked to Ott.

The few people who live thereabout naturally were interested in the newcomer. They noticed that each day he would start out, carrying his suit case in a way that indicated it was empty. He would return with the bag seemingly weighted down.

The banging of a revolver attracted the neighbors' attention, too, and they saw "Totten" firing at a target, which he placed at various distances ranging from ten feet to 100 yards.

When Constable McCahill heard this story from Ott he and Constable John Thompson of Oyster Bay drove over to Central Park and examined the place.

Their first glance at the interior was sufficient to show them that the place had been used as a bomb factory or at least as an experimental laboratory for the making of bombs. About the floors were scattered thousands of match sticks from which the heads had been cut. There were also dozens of full boxes of matches in a complete condition. It will be remembered that in his first confession Holt explained that he used match heads in making the capitol bomb.

Then, too, the constables found several acid eaten lead pencils, apparently used to stir a mixture of some sort of acid, and a tablecloth in which several great holes had been eaten by acid.

VOTE ON LIGHTS TOMORROW

Pickering Will Hold Special Election to Grant Franchise for Electric Lights to Maryville Firm.

A special election to vote on a proposition to grant a special franchise to the Maryville Electric Light and Power company to extend an electric lighting system there, will be held tomorrow at Pickering.

As submitted to the people of Pickering, the ordinance calls for an extension of current lines from Maryville to Pickering, and the installing of ten arc lights at the street intersections. The business men and property owners of Pickering subscribed $3,000 as their part of the cost of extension, the remainder of the cost to be paid by the Maryville company.

The money subscribed by the property owners will be paid back from the earnings of the system.

A unanimous vote in favor of the franchise is expected to be polled at the election tomorrow. No dissension has been expressed since the project was first taken up. Many farmers along the proposed route subscribed to the fund and will be able to obtain service, along with the Pickering residents, at the same rate given Maryville consumers.

SPECIALIST GIVES LECTURE.

J. L. McBrien, Educational Expert, Makes Address at Normal.

J. L. McBrien, a specialist in rural education, gave the last of a series of lectures at the State Normal school this morning, taking for his subject "A Glimpse of Some Great Men."

Mr. McBrien is in the employ of the United States bureau of rural education, and is making a tour of the summer schools. He arrived in Maryville Saturday morning and gave two lectures, one at 9 o'clock a. m. and one at 4 o'clock p. m. in the Normal auditorium. Mr. McBrien is an expert on rural educational conditions, and his lectures are entirely along that line. He left at noon today for Kirksville, where he will address the Kirksville normal school.

Quincy Visitors Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lugering and daughters of Quincy, Ill., who have been visiting relatives in Maryville and Clyde, left Saturday for their home. They were accompanied by Miss Coleta Linneman of Clyde, who will visit at Quincy several weeks.

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IS THE MILK WEED A FLOWER

Ask Louis, But Make the Tone Right From de Heart.

Ordinarily the humble milk-weed doesn't make much of an impression, does it? This sentinel of the country road is trod upon with impunity and seldom noticed. But there is one young man in Maryville who surely has developed a considerable respect for this plant of the milky juice, of the genus Asclepias.

Now, what would you think? What would you say and what would you do, if after days of promises from your lady love of flowers picked by her own hands, the expressman would deliver a package of these self-same milkweeds?

"Surely," she wrote him, "I am going to send you those flowers just as soon as the train service is restored. You see, I want you to get them in good condition. I am going to pick them with my own hands and send them to you as a token of my regard."

But surprise was turned to bewilderment and bewilderment to consternation when he opened the package.

Milk-weeds!

"Milk-weeds," laughed his friends. "So this was her token of regard."

A telegram elicited the information that she didn't send him flowers. Well, milk-weeds are not flowers, and besides, didn't the package come by prepaid and receipted express from her?

Eventually this receiver of the "token" has found it more pleasant to find other places of staying for a few days than his place of business.

Now, what would you do? What would you say and what would you think?

His name? O, Louis, "do have a heart."

To Visit at Bolckow.

Mrs. J. W. Houghtaling, who makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. C. A. McCoppin, left Saturday morning for Bolckow to spend some time visiting. Mrs. Houghtaling was accompanied by her brother, A. S. Berger, of Tamoca, Wash., and her sister, Mrs. W. F. Kirkpatrick of Kansas City, who have been guests at the McCoppin home.

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GRANT CITY TO LIGHT UP.

Voters Decide 252 to 22 That Worth Metropolis Needs Street Lighting.

The proposition to light the streets of Grant City at $1,200 per year carried at the special city election Monday by a vote of 22 to 252. A two-thirds majority was necessary. The vote stood more than 11 to 1 in favor of the proposition.

About a month ago a similar proposition, with the exception that it was for five years instead of one, was turned down at a special election. It is thought that this was due, in part, to the fact that the voters were confused on the proposition.

In appreciation of the large majority for the proposition Monday the owners of the plant will light the white way from now until the first of August, when the new contract starts, without extra charge.

The contract takes effect August 1 and runs for one year, covering 29 white way poles and 55 lights in the residence section at a rate of approximately 6 cents per kilowat hour.

"Spooners" Hurts "Movie" Business.

Some of the older people claim before Hopkins secured street lights, that they were ignorant as to the ways of spooning, but they are now all wise to the game, the lights having made it possible for them to catch even more than a bird's eye view of the game, some of the "worst cases" resembling, "isn't it nice on Broadway scenes," with variations. It is killing the picture show business for many would rather watch the spooning than the pictures.—Hopkins Journal.

San Jose's new charter provides for a municipal manager. It will be interesting and instructive to observe its working out, for there is no doubt as to the merits of the project, theoretically considered.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of W. A. Rickenbrode, registrar of the Fifth District Normal school of Missouri, at Maryville, Mo., until 1 o'clock p. m., on the 30th day of July, 1915, for the installation of additions to the heating system of its main building. Proposals must be in accordance with the plans and specifications, copies of which may be had at the office of the registrar in Maryville, Mo., on or after July 24th. A deposit of a certified check for twenty-five ($25.00) dollars will be required to guarantee the safe return of said plans and specifications. Proposals for this contract must be accompanied by a certified check for two hundred and fifty ($250.00) dollars, amount made payable to George M. Kemp, treasurer, as a guarantee that should the bidder be awarded the contract he will execute the contract and give satisfactory bond within five days provided for in the specifications, or in case of failure to do so, said check to be forfeited and retained by the board as liquidated damages. The successful bidder will be required to enter into contract to have the work specified completed by the 14th day of September, 1915, or forfeit the sum of twenty ($20.00) dollars per day for each and every day thereafter that work remains unfinished. The board reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. 19

GOV. CHARLES S. WHITMAN

Twice Prosecuted Becker For Murder and Now Holds Final Power.

Photo by American Press Association.

PLEA OF CONVICT TO SAVE BECKER IS VAIN

Governor Whitman Says He Discredits His Story.

Albany, N. Y., July 26.—The personal appeal of Joe Murphy, Sing Sing convict, to Governor Whitman to save the life or stay the execution of former Police Lieutenant Charles Becker failed in its purpose.

The governor said he had "caught Murphy in a lie" and branded as untrue Murphy's entire story that he had overheard Jack Rose, "Bridgie" Webber and Harry Vallon, three important witnesses against Becker, conspire three years ago in the Tombs to place the blame for the murder upon Becker.

During the meeting the governor discovered that July 29 Murphy had talked with Becker in the death cell. The following day Becker's attorney was informed by Murphy of the alleged conspiracy three years ago. The ernor said he believed Becker and Murphy arranged the story of the alleged plot.

Navy Gets New Destroyer.

Bath, Me., July 26.—The torpedo boat destroyer Wadsworth has been take into Boston for delivery to the navy department by its builders.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

National League.	W.	L.	P.	American League.	W.	L.	P.
Phila	47	36	566	Boston	56	30	651
Brooklyn	47	39	547	Chicago	56	33	629
Chicago	43	42	506	Detroit	54	33	621
Pittsb'gh	42	43	494	Wash'ton	43	44	494
New York	40	41	494	New York	42	44	488
Boston	42	44	488	St. Louis	34	53	391
St. Louis	43	47	478	Cleveland	32	54	372
Cincin'ti	35	47	427	Phila	30	56	349
Federal League.				**American Ass'n.**			
Chicago	50	37	575	St. Paul	54	37	593
Kan. City	48	37	565	Ind'polis	51	40	560
St. Louis	48	39	552	Min'polis	49	42	533
Pittsb'gh	45	39	536	Kan. City	48	44	522
Newark	44	43	506	Cleveland	41	45	477
Brooklyn	41	50	451	Louisville	43	46	483
Buffalo	41	51	446	Milw'kee	41	49	456
Baltimore	32	53	376	Columbus	34	57	374
Western League.							
	W.	L.	P.		W.	L.	P.
D. Moines	56	31	644	Omaha	45	45	500
Denver	49	35	583	Sioux City	39	47	453
Lincoln	45	41	523	St. Joseph	34	50	405
Topeka	44	43	506	Wichita	33	53	384

BASEBALL RESULTS

National League.

At Cincinnati:

				R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2—4	5	0
Cincinnati	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0—2	9	1

Mayer-Killifer; Dale-Clarke.

American League.

At Detroit:

										R.	H.	E.
Washington	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2—3	8	0
Detroit	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0—2	7	3

Ayres-Henry; Dauss-Stanage.

At Cleveland:

										R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	*—4	5	2
Philadelphia	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—1	6	3

Walker-O'Neill; Knowlson-Lapp.

Second game:

										R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	3	0	0	0	0	5	0	*	—8	16	3
Philadelphia	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	—4	7	2

Harstad-Egan; Bressler-McAvoy.

Western League.

At Denver:

										R.	H.	E.
Omaha	0	3	0	0	0	0	3	1	—7	8	5
Denver	0	0	6	1	2	0	5	1	*—15	16	1

Everdon-Krueger; Sterzer-Spahr.

At Lincoln:

										R.	H.	E.
Lincoln	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	—4	9	2
Sioux City	0	0	3	1	1	0	0	0	—5	8	1

Dawson-Yantz; Clark-Crosby.

At Wichita:

										R.	H.	E.
Wichita	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	—3	7	2
St. Joseph	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	—4	10	0

Southern-Gray; Keifer-Bliss.

Second game:

										R.	H.	E.
St. Joseph	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—	0	3	1
Wichita	0	0	0	5	0	3	2	*	—10	11	0

Wideman-Bliss; Riley-Griffith.

At Topeka:

										R.	H.	E.
Des Moines	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1—1	7	1
Topeka	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	*	—4	6	0

Gilligan-Breen; Huggins-Monroe.

Second game.

										R.	H.	E.
Topeka	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	—4	11	3
Des Moines	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	4	0—9	10	1

Grover-Rapps; Thomas-Graham.

SOCIETY and CLUBLAND

By KATE SCHENCK

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Calendar.

The regular meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star will be held Tuesday night, and the presence of all officers is particularly requested. Special work planned for the last meeting was held over until this week, and the meeting tomorrow night is important.

The Yeomen lodge will give its usual monthly social Tuesday night in the W. O. W. hall. A pleasing program of entertainment has been arranged.

The Young Women's Mission Circle of the First Baptist church will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Emma Ballinger.

The Penelope club will hold its usual meeting Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. John P. Price, at the Price home, 324 West Sixth.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Presbyterian church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Gallatin Craig.

The Women's Home Missionary society of the First Methodist church will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George W. Null.

The Homemakers class of the Buchanan Street Methodist church will hold a benefit ice cream festival Saturday afternoon and evening on the lawn of the court house.

Dinner at Ream Hotel.

Mr. A. L. Nash was the host of a dinner given yesterday noon at the Ream hotel, when his guests were the Rev. Robert Lyle Finch, Mrs. Finch and son Robert, Jr.

Guests at McQuinn Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin McQuinn entertained a party of guests yesterday at the McQuinn farm, near Conception, who were Miss Irene Dougan, Miss Gladys Ford and her guest, Miss Irene Smith of Kansas City, Miss Ella Noel, James Philp and Paul Willson.

Parkdale Hosts Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bellows, the hosts at Parkdale farm, southwest of the city, gave a dinner Saturday night, at which their guests were Mrs. Joseph Douglas, Miss Nellie Douglas, Miss Mildred Bellows and Charles Bellows, Jr.

Announce Daughter's Arrival.

Mr. and Mrs. Beal Roseberry are receiving congratulations today on the arrival of a second daughter into their family circle, who came last night. The eldest daughter, Esther Ardelia, is a miss of eight years and is the only child beside the baby girl.

Gives Victrola Tea.

Miss Besse Scott entertained a few friends with a victrola tea last night complimentary to Miss Hazel Lake of Des Moines, Ia., who is visiting in the city. The guests were Miss Lake, Miss Nellie Campbell, Miss Ola Smith, Miss Kitty Grems, Mrs. Hazel Smith Staples, Miss Anna Parle and Miss Hilda Lahr.

For Miss O'Donnell.

Mrs. Mary O'Donnell was the hostess of a delightful dinner party given Saturday night at her home, 615 North Fillmore street, for the pleasure of her daughter, Miss Margaret O'Donnell, of Des Moines, Ia., who spent the week end in Maryville. Plates were laid for Miss O'Donnell, Mrs. Alice Lake, Mrs. Margaret Dougan, Miss Hazel Lake, Miss Elizabeth Heffern, Miss Mamie Kincaid, Miss Katherine O'Donnell, Miss Willa McCleave, Paul Basford, William O'Donnell, and the hostess.

Girls' Club Entertained.

The "Girls' Tatting club," recently organized, was entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Lacy, four miles northwest of the city, when their small daughters, Vivian and Inez, were hostesses. The club members are Ada Fisher, president; Mary and Ruth Fisher, Dorothy and Lumeda Nelson, Mabel Monroe, Hazel Belcher and Vivian and Inez Lacy. Frank and Willie Fisher were guests at the club meeting Wednesday.

For Mrs. Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Clum Aley gave a dinner at noon yesterday, entertaining in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Aley's mother, Mrs. Mary J. Cole. Those present were Mrs. Samuel Corken of Burlington Junction, Mrs. Sarah McDowell, Mrs. Cole, Miss Estelle McDowell and Mr. and Mrs. Aley and family.

Funk Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Funk were the hosts of a dinner given at noon Saturday at their home, on South Vine street, in honor of their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Worley Funk of Omaha, Neb., who are visiting home folks. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Funk and children, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Funk, Mr. and Mrs. John Awalt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stapler, and the hosts.

Linnemans Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. William Linneman were the hosts of a dinner given Friday night at their home, on West Cooper street, at which plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lugering and daughters, Mildred and Hilda, of Quincy, Ill., Miss Coleta Linneman of Clyde, and the hosts and family. The Lugering family, who have been spending several weeks with relatives in Nodaway county, left Saturday for their home.

Baker Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Baker were the hosts of a dinner party given at 1 o'clock yesterday at the Linville hotel, complimentary to a party of St. Joseph friends. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Peterson, Miss Ethel Peterson and Miss Mildred Peterson of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Gillam, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Wolfert, Miss Carrie Margaret Baker, Forrest Gillam and the hosts.

Birthday Surprise Party.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Souers were the honored guests of a surprise dinner party given them yesterday by a number of relatives. The gathering was especially arranged to celebrate the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Souers, and the guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Souers, Mrs. W. A. Bonewitz, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Frazee, Mr. and Mrs. George Stafford, Misses Lois and Edna Bonewitz, R. R. Souers, Harold Stafford and H. R. Souers.

Newly Weds Depart.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. David, whose marriage took place in this city Friday morning, left Saturday afternoon for Independence, Mo., where they will be at home after August 1 at 1119 South Main street. The marriage of Mr. David and his bride, nee Miss Mabel Bishop of Liberty, Mo., took place at 7:15 o'clock Friday morning at the home of Mr. David's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Gile. The home was beautifully decorated with bouquets of garden flowers. The wedding was very simply observed, the Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor of the First Baptist church, reading the lines of the ring service in the presence of a few close relatives. A dainty wedding breakfast was served after the ceremony by Mrs. Gile, assisted by her daughter, Esther, and Miss Eva Fern Rodgers of Chugwater, Wyo., who is a guest at the Gile home. Mr. David is engaged in the practice of law in Independence.

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TO RAISE EXPRESS RATES.

Commission Grants Companies Right to Increase Price on Certain Conditions.

The interstate commerce commission has decided that revenues of the principal express companies of the United States are inadequate and modified its former order to provide additional income.

The effect is to increase the collection and delivery allowance 5 cents for each shipment and to reduce the rail terminal allowance at the rate of one-twentieth of one cent a pound. As the weight increases, the 5-cent increase is gradually reduced, so that on shipments of more than 100 pounds the readjustment will not make any change.

Substantially no commodity rates will be affected. In all events any change in the rates will, with few exceptions, be substantially lower than those prevailing when the commission established the zone system in February, 1914.

By that means the express companies are expected to increase their gross revenues about 3.86 per cent.

Post County Fair Bills.

A. O. Mason and Charles Irwin went to Conception Junction, Cornell, Blockton, Ia., and Sheridan today to post bills advertisign the county fair to be held here August 30 and 31 and September 1, 2, 3 and 4. James A. Ford, manager, expects to go to Creston, Ia., tomorrow to post bills.

Decorator to Come Here.

J. P. Riche, a designer and decorator with the Emery-Bird-Thayer Dry Goods company of Kansas City, spent yesterday in Maryville ,the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Arnett. Mr. Richie will enter the employ of the Arnett Decorating company as designer and fresco decorator.

George A. Jones, living northwest of Maryville, has gone to Rochester, Minn., where he will take treatment at the Mayo Bros.' sanitarium.

OPEN UP VILLISCA BRANCH.

Trains Again Running on Nodaway Valley Line of Burlington.

The operation of through trains on the Villisca branch of the Burlington, which extends from Villisca, Ia., to Bigelow, was resumed last Saturday, after a tie-up of more than a week on account of flood washouts. Stub trains were run from Clarinda, Ia., to Quitman and from Bigelow to Skidmore for several days before the entire line was thrown open.

All branch lines of the Burlington in Missouri and Iowa are now open, though traffic is slow on several through bad track conditions yet.

Mrs. Corken Returns.

Mrs. Samuel Corken of Burlington Junction, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary J. Cole, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clum Aley, left today for her home.

Guest at Hanson Home.

Miss Edith Gallagher of St. Joseph is visiting in Maryville, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanson.

TO TAKE SPECIAL STUDY.

Harvey Watson Enters Stout Institute at Menomonie.

Harvey Watson left Saturday for Menomonie, Wis., where he will take a special course in manual training at Stout institute.

Enroute Mr. Watson stopped for a visit at Minneapolis, Minn., for a short time.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our kind friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown us in the recent bereavement of husband and father.—Mrs. J. F. Crigger and Family.

Held Service at Arkoe.

The Rev. Robert Lyle Finch, pastor of the First Christian church, held preaching services at the Christian church of Arkoe at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Chicago Guest Here.

Mrs. P. J. Sullivan of Chicago arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Tobin and other relatives.

The Wednesday Special
AT THE
Berney Harris Store
Is Men's or Boy's Shoes

Here is a chance to help your BOOSTER. For every 25c invested in Shoes on Wednesday we will give 500 Coupons—Everybody buy Shoes Wednesday and give your Booster a Big Boost.

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Harry Lauder

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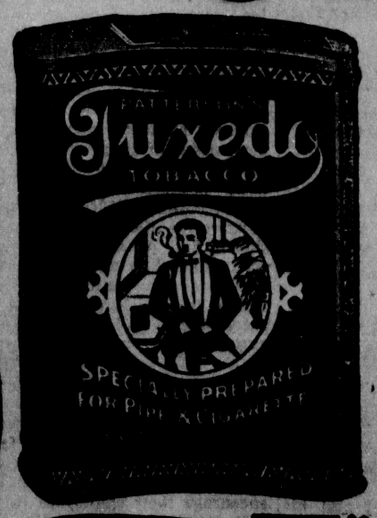

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LIST OF DEAD REMAINS AT 1,000

Eastland Gives Up 820 Bodies of Victims.

RESCUERS CONTINUE THE WORK

Divers Believe All Removed From Vessel Except Those Crushed In Mud Under Port Side—Many Still In River—Work of Relief Under Way.

Chicago, July 26.—The death ship Eastland has given up the bodies of 820 of its dead. The estimated total number of those who went down to death in the Chicago river when the steamer, bearing 2,400 excursionists, rolled over at its dock remains at approximately 1,000.

Of the 2,480 persons on board at the time of the catastrophe, 1,072, including the crew of seventy-two, have reported as safe. Of the 588 thus remaining unaccounted for, it is believed 400 are alive and failed to report, and that 188 bodies still are in the river.

About three score more bodies were recovered. Divers concluded that all bodies have been removed save those that may have been crushed into the mud under the Eastland's port side and those that have gone down the river with the current.

Work of Relief Under Way.

While grief stricken thousands are searching through the morgue in the Second regiment armory for friends or relatives, state and federal officials have turned their attention to placing the blame for the catastrophe and the work of relief of those left destitute.

Acting Mayor Moorhouse and his advisors began raising a relief fund of $200,000 to be distributed by a subcommittee acting under the direction of the National Red Cross.

In addition to this, the Western Electric company, whose help formed the majority of the ill-fated excursion party, has announced that $100,000 from its employees' insurance funds is available for relief.

Coroner Hoffman announced that he had ordered the arrest of every official of the Indiana Transportation company, which leased the Eastland. The officers and crew of the boat are under arrest.

Various Theories Discussed.

Various theories as to what caused the Eastland to turn over still are being discussed, but without a prospect of a definite explanation until the coroner's inquest and the federal government's investigation are finished.

The most discussed theories are as follows: That the boat was overcrowded; that it was not properly ballasted; that the tug that made fast to warp the Eastland fast to the docks started pulling too fast; that congestion of passengers rushing to the port side, attracted by some passing sensation, tipped the steamer over.

The Eastland, said by marine architects to have been top heavy and ballasted in an uncertain manner, turned over inside of five minutes after it began to list, pouring its passengers into the river or imprisoning them in its submerged hull.

Every effort was made by thousands of persons on the river wharf to rescue the drowning men, women and children, but many drowned almost within grasp of the river bank. Mothers went to death while their children were snatched to safety. Other children died in the arms of their parents who were finally saved. Hundreds of girls, freed for a day from their tasks of making telephones and other electrical apparatus in the factory of the Western Electric company, dressed in their smartest white frocks, drowned miserably.

Many sank, entangled with clothing and bundles, and did not rise, but scores came to the surface, giving the river the appearance of a crowded bathing beach. Many seized floating chairs and other objects. Those on shore threw out ropes and dragged in such as could hold these lifelines.

Boats were put out, tugs rushed to the scene with shrieking whistles and many men snatched off their coats and sprang into the river to aid the drowning. With thousands of spectators ready to aid and the wharf within grasp, hundreds went to death despite every rescue effort.

Shortly after the water was cleared ship engineers and helpers were on the exposed side of the Eastland's hull, cutting through its steel plates with gas flames. Divers were hurried into underwater suits.

While those on land were disposing of the dead, injured and rescued, the divers in the heart of the sunken vessel sent up an almost constant stream of corpses.

Passengers Swarm to One Side.

About 7,000 men, women and children wended their way to the river wharf to fill five large lake steamers with holiday mirth in a trip to Michigan City. The steamer Eastland, brought to Chicago from Lake Erie, after an unsatisfactory career, was the first to be loaded.

Rain began to fall as the wharf superintendents lifted the gangplanks from the Eastland, declaring the government limit of 2,500 passengers reached. Then the passengers swarmed to the left side of the ships, as the other steamers drew up the river towards the wharf.

The ship turned slowly, but steadily, towards its left side. The whole cargo was impelled towards the falling side of the ship. Water began to enter lower portholes, and the ropes snapped off the piles to which the vessel was tied.

For nearly five minutes the ship turned before it finally dived under the swift current of the river.

Then there was a sigh of air escaping from the hold, mingled with crying of children and shrieks of women and the ship was on the bottom of the river, casting hundreds of its passengers into the water.

AT BAYONNE OIL STRIKE.

Policeman Interpreting Sheriff's Speech to Foreign Born Strikers.

Photo by American Press Association.

SCENES OF TRAGEDY AT CHICAGO MORGUE

Hearses Contest Street In Front of Armory.

Chicago, July 26.—Sorrow, which spread over the city with the Eastland disaster and engulfed thousands of homes, hung lowest over the silent forms of the victims in the drill room of the Second regiment armory, Chicago's temporary morgue.

Side by side they lay, from one end of the hall to the other, with narrow pathways between, along which slowly walked anxious hundreds seeking to identify a missing loved one. Time and again a group would pause beside a pitiful bundle. There would be a gasp, a low-voice exclamation, a merciful flow of tears and another would be taken from the list of unidentified dead and placed in the known column.

All through the night load after load of bodies were received at the morgue, and through the morning, at less frequent intervals, the procession continued.

While the victims were being identified, fifty undertakers and forty embalmers who had volunteered at the call of Coroner Hoffman worked rapidly in a space at the north end of the hall, preparing the bodies for burial.

As the morning wore along the Curtis street front of the armory become crowded with hearses, and the incoming stream of bodies from the improvised morgues and the overturned vessel was passed by another line of bodies, identified and in the keeping of an undertaker.

Before a body passed out the identification was recorded by a deputy coroner and the name of the nearest relative placed on file. So perfect had been the preparations for the work of the coroner that in a few hours less than 200 bodies remained in the temporary morgue.

BARS WANTON ACTS

Strike Deputies Must Shoot Only to Save Lives, Says Bayonne Sheriff.

Bayonne, N. J., July 26.—Sheriff Kinkead issued a warning that he will arrest the executive officers of the Tidewater Oil company if any of their armed guards fire on the crowd of striking employees except in defense of their lives.

"And when I say in defense of their lives I do not mean in defense of their property," the sheriff added.

"I'm at the limit of my resources unless Governor Fielder sends troops," he said. The strikers were aroused almost to the breaking point by the raid on their arsenal, in which the sheriff's men captured over fifty new Springfield rifles and a quantity of ammunition. They bitterly protested that the guards were allowed to keep their rifles and do sniping.

STANDARD OIL CHIEF AND DEPUTIES HELD

New York, July 26.—Samuel H. Edwards, general superintendent, and thirty-two guards of the Tidewater Oil company's plant in Bayonne, N. J., were arrested, charged with inciting to riot, by Sheriff Kinkead and his deputies. The arrests occurred after guards had fired shots near the plant.

WILL CONSERVE WORKERS' HEALTH

Three Score and Ten Heritage of All Men.

BIBLICAL LIFE LINE THE AIM

Many Large Industrial Enterprises Have Developed Just as Efficient Departments of Health as Are to Be Found In Most Advanced Municipalities—Seek Longer Life of Employees.

San Francisco.—The biblical limit of threescore and ten will eventually be the natural heritage of every man, and the railroads are engaged in an earnest effort to bring about this condition as promptly as possible, said Dr. C. W. Hopkins, chief surgeon of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway company, in a paper presented to the Academy of Medicine on "The Hospital Organization of the Railway System."

Dr. Hopkins pointed out that many large industrial enterprises had developed just as efficient departments of health as were to be found in the most advanced municipalities and sometimes made even greater per capita expenditure. The railroad physician or surgeon had an especially fine field before him, as the railways were finding it their duty not only to prevent accidents, but to prevent disease from crippling the efficiency of their armies of employees. "It is now a well recognized fact among the managements of the railroad," he said, "that it is just as important to care for their sick and injured as it is to maintain a certain standard of efficiency or perfection of their rolling stock and roadbed."

In considering the organization of such work he said the first consideration was the proper housing of railway employees, in order that the man could feel well in the environment of a home and be free from worry and anxiety. The next step toward efficiency lay in the direction of physical examination to determine the approach of disease in its incipient stage. "There should be an understanding with the workmen that this examination is not for the purpose of preparing him for the scrap pile," he said, "but for the purpose of maintaining a condition of bodily health that will materially prolong his working days, together with a higher degree of earning capacity and efficiency.

"Two general methods have been in use for some years by forty-two representative railroads of this country, with the general predominance in favor of the hospital organization, where the men themselves contribute a certain monthly amount toward their maintenance. Twenty-four of the forty-two railroads are today using the hospital organizations, some of which were established as long as fifty years ago. This was primarily brought about on account of a certain number of these roads running through a very sparsely settled country, where settlements and doctors were few and far between, and there were no hospitals, and where it was found that men often suffered and sometimes died because of lack of immediate and proper care. By a small contribution by the men they were enabled to receive the proper care by good men and to enjoy the comforts that were necessary toward their well being, and with but small cost to themselves.

"The other eighteen roads employ surgeons and hospitals and treat their men for occupational injuries, paying all bills for such treatment and care without the small monthly assessment contributed by the men. There have been many arguments by learned economists both for and against each method."

"The Transportation of Consumptives" was exhaustively considered in a paper by Dr. Henry B. Hemenway of Evanston, Ill. Dr. Hemenway said that, although consumptives were prone to travel in greater numbers than any other one class of persons afflicted with disease, humanitarianism, as well as law, would protect them in their desire to travel unless it be shown that their journeys particularly endangered their fellow travelers. The conclusion to which he came after reviewing statistics and laws bearing on the subject was that the dangers involved were comparatively slight and that any attempt at segregation of consumptives during transportation was impracticable.

If the federal government were to undertake restriction of the travel of consumptives in the United States, he said, it could do so only if the nuisance were very real. One thing to be considered, he said, was the fact that most cases of tubercular infection occurred during childhood and that the large proportion of travelers were adults. Again, if there were special dangers to the traveling public we should find passenger brakemen and conductors showing a higher consumptive rate than similar employees on freight trains. But the reverse is the case, he said, and quoted a number of authorities to that effect.

Seeks Aid of Employers.

New York.—It was announced at the offices of the National Security league that the league has begun a nation wide campaign to induce large corporations and other employers of labor to encourage their employees to join the national guard or naval militia organizations.

MAIL BY AUTOMOBILE.

Proposed That Minimum Length of Runs Will Be Fifty Miles.

Washington.—"Rural mail service by automobile will begin on a large scale Aug. 2," says a statement by the postoffice department. "Thereafter, under orders thus far signed by Postmaster General Burleson, 105 machines carrying mail will traverse more than 5,500 miles of rural post roads daily except Sunday.

"The first dispatch of rural mails by auto was made July 1. Two pioneer routes radiating from Quarryville, Pa., the one 55.1 and the other 56.8 miles long, went into operation on that date. Additional orders are pending providing for numerous other motor routes, and it is probable that many more will be approved in time to become effective in August.

"Preparatory to the introduction of this service wherever it will be advantageous to the rural public, surveys of special needs and conditions in every state are being made. Rapid increase of automobile mileage in the R. F. D. is certain during the coming fiscal year. Prospects are that the rural mail auto will soon be as familiar in the great farming sections of the country as the present box-like rural carrier's wagon. Where roads are good the automobile promises to effect a huge economy of time and labor and vastly to enlarge the postal facilities of the districts served.

"The routes now about to be operated by machine are from fifty to sixty miles long. Time schedules vary from six to eight hours. In some cases the new auto routes represent the extension of present wagon routes, but for the most part they are combinations of two or more routes now served by separate carriers, each with a horse drawn vehicle. In the same or less time than is required to do a twenty-five mile route by wagon the auto will serve a fifty or sixty mile route. The machine will have from four to five times the carrying capacity of the wagon."

GUNNERS CAN TELL KIND OF SHELL FIRED

Many Saved by What Is Called "Artillery Ear."

Berlin.—The war has developed what might be termed an "artillery ear," especially among the soldiers in this branch of the service, which enables them to judge accurately what kind of shell is being fired at them and whether or not it is aimed at their battery or at some other spot. Many lives have been saved by this gradually developed oral alertness.

The artillerist, explains an officer who has been in the field for months, is able almost instinctively to tell whether a shell is headed for his battery or not. The men have learned to pay not the slightest attention to a shot that gives off the peculiar sound indicating that it is aimed at some other battery or position. Because of the confusing noise of the artillerist's own battery the squad tending it usually is divided into two groups, one of which listens for the shells of the opponents and gives the warning to dive for the shelters back of the guns. The men learn to talk with pauses between each word, listening meantime for the telltale whistle of the dangerous shell. Only in the case of the small field cannon, fired at a range of, say, 2,000 yards, is it impossible to hear the shell in time to dive into the security of the sheltering "understand." Those shells have reached their mark about as soon as the sound of their discharge.

The twelve centimeter, flat trajectory guns, on the other hand, give just enough warning so that the men can make one dive. There isn't one fraction of a second to be wasted, but by quick action the artillerist can save himself. The big howitzers, however, give nearly half a minute's warning. As the officer puts it, one can hear the shells from these guns and still cut off a slice of wurst and take a swallow from one's field bottle before seeking shelter. The shelter in this case must be a genuine shelter, consisting of about three layers of heavy wood and two yards of earth and stone, else the shelter and artillerists are gone.

SUNDAY'S A "DAY OFF."

For Prisoners In Kansas City Jail Colony.

Kansas City, Mo.—Prisoners who have families and who are confined at the municipal farm at Leeds are to be allowed to go home to spend Sundays with their families, provided they can be trusted.

The Sunday paroles will be granted by J. O. Stutsman, superintendent at the farm. The men who will be paroled will go home after finishing their work on Saturday and will return in time to begin on Monday morning.

The paroles will depend entirely on a merit system. If the plan works successfully it may be extended to trustworthy men who are not married.

Carp Comes When Called.

Sandusky, O.—Theodore Sharp, a fisherman, claims to be the owner of the only educated carp in existence. Sharp says the carp, which weighs nearly forty pounds and when out of the water resembles to a marked degree a fat hog, will come to him when he whistles, that it will eat out of his hand and that when he is out in a boat will follow him around, swimming close astern near the surface.

THOUSAND ARE KILLED

President Orders Funston to Use Force on Border.

Laredo, Tex., July 26.—Fighting between Villa and Carranza troops in the vicinity of Icamole, and Villa and Garcia, near Monterey, during the last ten days, has resulted in the loss of at least 1,000 dead and twice that number wounded.

Washington, July 26.—Orders were issued, with the approval of President Wilson, to Major General Funston to repel with force, if necessary, any firing into American territory during the fighting between the factions in border towns and a note was dispatched to General Carranza advising him of that fact.

Soon afterward advices from Vera Cruz to the Carranza headquarters here said the general had specifically instructed General Calles, his commander before Nogales, not to attack the Villa forces there and gave assurances that the Carranza force which occupied Naco would withdraw, leaving a civil administration in charge. The garrison marched out.

MEXICO CITY IN REDS' HANDS

Two Hundred Indians of Zapata's Forces Are In Possession of Capital.

Mexico City, July 26.—The city is in the hands of a band of 200 Indians. Zapata forces, in retreating, have torn up the railroad to Cuernavaca and Toluca. All business houses and bakeshops are closed and even the well-to-do find difficulty in buying food. The relief committee is unable to help and the lack of food is being keenly felt. There is no communication with the outside world, except by courier.

This is the latest word to come out of Mexico City. It was sent one day after Carranza forces evacuated the capital to meet an approaching Villa column.

CHURCH URGES ENLISTMENT

Clergymen In London Appeal to Patriotism of Men and Women.

London, July 26.—Special "recruiting services" were held in all the churches of the London diocese of the Church of England.

Clergymen, at the request of the bishop of London, urged all men of military age who are qualified to offer their services to the army and all women not hampered by other duties to volunteer for work in the munitions factories.

German Submarines Sink 5 Vessels.

London, July 26.—German submarines resumed their activity in English waters, sinking a French steamer and four British traders. One of the undersea boats is reported to have been destroyed by bombs and gun fire.

Germans Land Army Corps Near Libau

London, July 26.—A Petrograd dispatch says: "Private messages from Riga report that the Germans have landed an entire army corps on the coast near Libau."

Returns to Canada.

Joseph McGinness, who has been spending the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McGinness, living near Bedison, has returned to Calgary, Alta, Canada, where he has been employed for some time with the Remleu Harvesting company.

On Colorado Visit.

Mrs. J. C. Curfman and small grand daughter, Virginia Curfman, will leave Wednesday morning for Salida, Col., where they will visit Mrs. Curfman's son, Dr. George Curfman, and family. They will also spend several weeks at the Colorado mountain resorts before returning.

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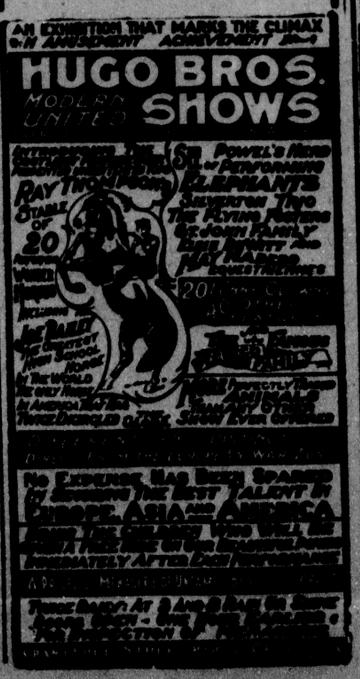

HOLD PARKS RITES TODAY.

Funeral of Aged Woman Takes Place at Home of Son.

The funeral services for Mrs. Thomas Parks, who died yesterday at the home of her son, Ed Parks, six miles east of Burlington Junction, were held at the home place this afternoon.

Mrs. Parks was quite aged and had been in poor health for some time. Her husband died about six months ago. She had made her home for a number of years with her son and his family.

Return from Omaha.

Mrs. E. L. Ferritor and daughters and Miss Martha Helpley returned last night from a visit with friends at Omaha.

Bryan to Speak at Clarinda.

William Jennings Bryan will speak at the Chautauqua at Clarinda, Ia., August 17, according to announcement from there today.

To Visit Parents.

County School Superintendent Bert Cooper spent Sunday with his parents at Gaynor City.

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Maryville city property at a bargain if taken at once. Cash and terms. See John F. Hansen, administrator. 23-26

WANTED—Men between the ages of 18 and 40 to go to Kansas City on a vacation trip. All expenses paid. Apply Armory hall on Wednesday night. 26-29

For Sale.

FOR SALE—600 bushels of corn. Call or see Allen Bros. 23-26

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FOR SALE—Indian motorcycle in good condition at one-third cost. Must sell immediately. Call 723 N. Market or phone 6462. 23-26

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FEDERALS DEFEAT STANBERRY 2TO1

MARYVILLE WINS IN 14 INNINGS AFTER FAST GAME.

MAY KEEP BATTERY; TO PLAY HERE AUGUST 15

Wiley and Richardson, Who Scored a Hit Yesterday, May Be Retained—Meet St. Joe Tip Tops Next.

The Maryville Federals avenged the overwhelming defeat of two weeks ago, when they defeated the Stanberry Red Sox at Stanberry yesterday afternoon by the close score of 2 to 1, in a fourteen inning game. The victory came after a hotly contested and well played game on both sides, Maryville making three errors and Stanberry one. About eighty fans went from here to attend the game and root the Feds to the laurels.

Credit for the game belongs to no one player, though each did excellent playing, both in the field and at bat. There were few bobbies, and no "bonehead" plays on either side, and for eleven innings the two expert amateur teams of northwest Missouri see-sawed and surged on the diamond for mastery, to the tune of yells, hand claps and applause by the loyal fans, without either gaining a score.

Carmichael Ended Game.

The winning score came in the fourteenth inning with two down. Tilson got a single, went to second on a wild throw, but died running to third. D. Carmichael then got a single and went to second and on to third in the play to oust Tilson, running between second and third. He came home on a two bagger by Richardson.

Scott secured the first score for Maryville in the second inning. He went to second on a two-bagger and scored on a single by Miller. Stanberry got its lone run in the next inning, when Walker got a single, went to second on an error and scored on a triple hit by Besinger.

Several times after that each side got men on second and third bases, but each time they were cut down by Pitchers Wiley for Maryville or Hawthorne for Stanberry, with the assistance of their corps of seven able fielders and equally expert receivers.

Those who unfortunately missed the game yesterday will have another chance to see the two teams play, however, on home grounds, for Manager Cleve Funk has arranged for a return game here Sunday, August 15—just three weeks in the offing.

May Keep the New Battery.

In the meantime the fans will be able to witness a game between the Feds and the St. Joseph Tip Tops at Federal park next Sunday afternoon. No game has been scheduled for August 8, that date being thrown open through the refusal of Shenandoah to play here yesterday, thereby necessitating that the game with the Tip Tops be set up one week.

But the best news of all to local fans was announced this morning by Cleve Funk. Here it is, listen!

Vern Wiley, who struck out sixteen Stanberry batters and walked and hit none yesterday, and Richardson, his able receiver, who have played together for years, will probably remain with the Maryville Federals for the balance of the season. Both came here from the St. Joseph Western league team, but have played with the Beatrice, Neb., Nebraska State league team for two seasons.

All Played Class A Ball.

Manager Funk is now negotiating for the retention of both at a combined salary of $125 a month for two months, when the local season will draw to a close.

"Dirty" Miller, who played the third sack yesterday, also will remain for the balance of the season, this being his home. He came here from Tulsa, Okla., Saturday afternoon.

Though each local player was on his toes and playing class A ball all fourteen innings yesterday, "Scotty" was especially lauded by the fans for his handling of the ten chances that came to him at his position of shortstop. Not one of the nine chances in the outfield were missed or muffed either, so that really one cannot pick out any one of the nine players as wearer of the crown.

Walker was the champion hickory stick wielder for the Red Sox by getitng four out of the eight hits secured off Wiley. The hitters for Maryville were Morris, Richardson, Scott, Miller and Tilson.

Have Been Almost Invincible.

Hawthorne, pitching for Stanberry, also did well. He struck out seven players and walked but one. It is the first game in forty-one that he has lost, and makes the first defeat on the home grounds for Stanberry in three years, while they have been defeated but once in two seasons on foreign diamonds, having lost to Albany, at Albany, last season. They have won every game this season except the one to Maryville yesterday.

The work of Umpire McCarty was considered quite fair to both sides yesterday.

The line-up of the Federals was: Morris, rf; Tilson, 1b; Carmichael, lf; Richardson, c; Scott, ss; Miller, 3b; Vaughn, 2b; Woodard, cf; Wiley, p. The score:

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Stanberry 001 000 000 000 00	1	8	1

CLINTON "DRY" BY 237 VOTES.

County Seat of Henry Quits Saloons—Third Recent Prohibition Victory.

Clinton, a city of 5,000 population, the county seat of Henry county, voted saloons out of that city Saturday by a majority of 237. This is the third prohibition victory within a week, St. Francois county having gone dry a week ago, while Carrollton voted saloons out last Tuesday.

ST. JOSEPH HAS BIG FIRE.

Block Occupied by C. H. Noel Lumber Company Burns-Cuts Telephone Connections.

An early morning fire is reported to have burned the block occupied by the C. H. Noel Lumber company, on North Fourth street, St. Joseph, and to have threatened other properties nearby. It also resulted in the elimination of telephonic connections in that part of town, according to Miss Bessie Todd, night operator for the Hanamo company.

The first knowledge that such connections had been cut off came at about 5:30 o'clock.

MOCK TRIAL AMUSES CROWD.

Men's Class Pays Wager to Amomas at Baptist Church Friday.

A mock trial, with the Rev. Lewis M. Hale presiding as judge, and E. C. Moberly, L. C. Gann, Ed Brewer, W. B. Lemon and Clyde Bliss as the "prisoners at the bar," furnished great amusement Friday as a feature of entertainment for the social given by the Men's Bible class of the First Baptist church.

The social was given in the church basement, and the guests were the members of the Amoma class of women, the entire crowd numbering about 150. The defendants were accused of sending letters to the Amoma women, warning them to keep their husbands away from Sunday school last Sunday morning, for fear of dire troubles. They were found guilty and sentenced to pay for all the ice cream consumed at the social.

The social was the result of an attendance contest waged recently between the two classes, when each endeavored to have the greater number at the Sunday morning Bible school. The Men's class lost and paid the forfeit by giving the merry-making.

Miss Smith Leaves.

Miss Irene Smith of Kansas City, who has been spending the past two weeks in Maryville, visiting Miss Gladys Ford, left this morning for her home.

TO-NIGHT

A TWO REEL KEYSTONE FEATURE

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TEUTONS LOSE IN WEST

French Report Another Success in Region of Vosges—Italians Continue Offensive—Submarine at Work.

London, July 26.—Only the northern point of the pincers which the Austro Germans for more than a week have been trying to close around Warsaw and the Russian armies in the Polish salient, has made any progress during the last few days. This point has forced its way across the Narew river between the fortresses of Pultusk and Rozan and is advancing toward the Bug river, which stands for the greater part of the way between it and the Warsaw-Vilna railway, its objective.

The other point, which Field Marshal von Mackenzen is directing at the Chelm-Lublin railway, has hardly gained a yard of ground since it reached the village of Reiovetz, just south of the railway.

Threaten Mackenzen's Flank.

In offering stubborn resistance to the German advance, the Russians are making a continual threat at Von Mackenzen's flank along the Bug river from the east of Chelm to east of Lemberg. Between Krylow and Sokal their attacks have been particularly severe, compelling the Germans to send reinforcements, probably intended to support Von Mackenzen, to meet them.

While Warsew is under heavy pressure, the Austro-Germans have a lot of stiff work before them if they are to bring their operations to a successful ending by its capture.

The French report another success in the region of Vosges, where they claim to have taken more than 800 unwounded prisoners. The Germans admit the loss of a portion of their trenches there.

There is no diminution in the Italian offensive along the Isonzo river which the Italians say is proceeding favorably for them, but which the Austrians declare is meeting with no success.

ARE PREPARING FOR CAMP

Company F and Fourth Regiment Band Get Ready for Annual Encampment—In Good Shape.

Active preparations of men and equipment for the encampment of the Fourth regiment, Missouri National Guards, at Camp Swope, near Kansas City, September 6 to 12 inclusive, are now under way by officers and members of Company F and the Fourth Regiment band, located in Maryville. Beginning next month, Captain John K. Ross expects to hold semi-weekly drills, probably on Wednesday and Friday nights, in order to get the members in fine condition.

Captain Ross was issued his commission as commander of Company F only last Saturday by Adjutant General John B. O'Mara, but it became effective April 28. Captain Ross reported today that he would have a company of about forty-five men, or a full company, at camp this year, and that some new equipment probably would be added before the time for encampment.

T. B. Maulding, chief musician of the Fourth Regiment band, has arranged with Captain Adjutant W. M. Mann of St. Joseph for a conference here in the near future for the purpose of discussing matters pertaining to the equipment and management of the band here. The conference was arranged for Saturday, but on account of Mr. Maulding being unable to attend at that time, it probably will be held some other day.

The new dress uniforms for the band members, which now number about thirty, are expected to arrive soon, or considerably before the encampment begins. The olive drab or service uniforms have been here for some time, but have never been donned by the musicians.

Plans also are under way by Captain Ross for the establishment of a 1,000-yard rifle range near Maryville next fall, to better train the company members in the use of firearms. Requisition for the improvement has been forwarded to headquarters by Captain Ross. The equipment for the range is now on hand. The leasing of a ground for the purpose is now being considered. The improvement would cost about $250 annually, it is estimated.

Guests at Blatter Home.

Anthony Blatter and Joseph Dailey of Denver, Col., arfived in Maryville last night to spend a two weeks' vacation with Mr. Blatter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Blatter.

MARYVILLE TEACHER QUITS

Miss Phylis Sayler Resigns as Instructor in Grades on Account of Illness.

Miss Phylis Sayler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sayler of Maryville, has formally presented her resignation as teacher in the Central grade schools here for the 1915-16 term. She gives ill health as her reason for resigning the position.

Miss Sayler has taught in the Maryville school for four years and has always given satisfaction, both to pupils and patrons and to the school board, it is said. The board will not act on the resignation until the next regular meeting. Miss Sayler received $60 per month. She taught the A seventh grade.

HOLD 3 FOR THEFTS

BELIEVE THREE MEN COMMITTED BURLINGTON BURGLARIES.

BLOODHOUNDS ON TRAIL

Sheriff and Maryville Chief Track Robbers Who Entered Junction Stores Saturday Night—Swam River.

The hardware store of J. H. Castle, formerly Sewell & Carter, and the restaurant of Otto P. Roney, at Burlington Junction, were burglarized before midnight Saturday night and about $25 in goods and cash were taken. Entrance at both places was gained by breaking through windows in the rear of the establishments. The robberies were committed by three men, it is believed, judging from tracks near the scenes of the robberies.

Three men, giving the names of Ira Dix, Perry Hartness and Leslie Maines, residents of and near Burlington Junction, were apprehended by officers at Tarkio about noon today and are being held for county authorities. Sheriff Wallace will go to Tarkio to return the three men.

The burglary is believed to have been committed by local talent. As soon as the burglary was discovered Sunday morning Sheriff Edwin Wallace and Chief of Police E. C. Moberly were notified. Sheriff Wallace and Chief Moberly, accompanied by four of his bloodhounds, at once went to Burlington Junction and began trailing the burglars.

A trail was at once struck up by the hounds, but was lost at the forks of the river near Burlington Junction, where the burglars are believed to have crossed the stream. A new trail was struck up again this morning on the other side of the river, and the dogs again began tracking off west of the city. The dogs were called off when notice of the arrests at Tarkio was received.

The burglars secured hardware stock valued at between $15 and $20 at the Castle store and $1.25 in change and goods valued at $8 at the restaurant.

"OLD SCOTT" PASSES AWAY.

Famous Horse of Maryville Dies—Owned Recently by C. A. Jensen.

"Old Scott," the horse that nobody knows how old he is, which has been owned by C. A. Jensen, produce dealer, the last two years, died yesterday morning after a night's suffering from colic. "Old Scott" was somewhere around 28 years old, it is said, while some place him at 30.

He was born and reared south of Maryville, but soon became a city resident. He has been a favorite of ministers. He was owned by the Rev. J. D. Ford, pastor of the First Methodist church, until he was succeeded by the Rev. G. S. Cox, present pastor, who also took "Old Scott" over for the time being. It was from Mr. Cox that Mr. Jensen secured the services of the faithful equine.

PICKERING 7, HOPKINS 6.

Carmichaels Win Fast Game from Prof. Thomas' Nine in Ten Innings.

The newl yorganized Pickering base ball team defeated the Hopkins team at Pickering yesterday afternoon by the score of 7 to 6, in a ten inning game. Carmichael and Carmichael were the battery for Pickering, while the Hopkins battery was composed of Prof. A. C. Thomas, manager, and Wogan.

Though a new team in the county, Pickering also defeated Hopkins in the initial game at Hopkins recently by the score of 5 to 4. Pickering also has played Arkoe. It was scheduled to play Parnell yesterday, but the game was later called off.

600 TO COMPETE

MANY BOYS AND GIRLS ENTER ANNUAL COUNTY CONTEST.

TO COMBINE 4 EVENTS

Agricultural Show, Normal Institute, Teachers' Meet and Style Show in October—Seek $1,500 Fund.

About 325 boys and 276 girls have already enrolled for the seventh annual contest of the Nodaway county agricultural and domestic science show, to be held at the Normal, October 28, 29 and 30, in connection with the Normal farm and home institute, the annual county teachers' meeting and the style show to be put on by the merchants of Maryville the last week in October.

The enrollment is still continuing, Manager Bert Cooper announces, and the list is growing daily. It is believed that about 800 boys and girls of Nodaway county will compete in the contest next fall to about 600 competing last fall.

This is brought about through a more extensive advertising and the addition of more and better prizes, specially for the acre yields in corn. The prizes for the best acre yields in corn, open to both boys and girls this year will be $50, $40, $30, $25, $20, $15, $10 and $5, making an aggregate of $185 for the eight prizes in the corn acreage yield, compared to about $100 last year.

Make Contest More Extensive.

The addition of more prizes for apple exhibits and the inclusion of a bread judging contest, open to both boys and girls between the ages of 10 and 17, with prizes ranging from $5 down to 50 cents, also will help materially in attracting more Nodaway county youths in the annual contest next fall, it is believed.

So, with less restrictions placed on contestants in the show next fall and the addition of many more prizes, which brings the aggregate amount of prizes offered to $956, everything points to a record exhibition of agricultural, horticultural and domestic science and home economics products by boys and girls of the county.

But the offer of nearly $1,000 in prizes is not all the expense that will be incurred by any means. Last year the show cost approximately $1,200, while this year it cannot be held for less than $1,500, it is said, on account of the addition of prizes and a more extensive exhibit being arranged.

Keep Contestants Informed.

County Superintendent Cooper, as a representative of the association, is constantly in touch with all contestants and supplies them with all the latest information from the agricultural experiment stations and the U. S. department of agriculture. In addition to that all the literature put out by the state boys' and girls' corn growing and domestic science clubs are furnished to these boys and girls. In this way the contestants are kept "up to the minute" in the newest and most improved methods. It is educational to the fullest extent.

To Canvass Fund at Once.

The Agricultural and Domestic Science association has long ago become established as a permanent institution in Nodaway county, and is recognized as the leading factor in the agricultural development of the community.

The annual contests are under the control of an executive committee of the association, the members of which are Miss Hettie Anthony, Prof. John E. Cameron, James B. Robinson, G. L. Wilfley, Joseph Jackson, Jr., Paul Sisson, E. E. Williams, secretary and treasurer, and A. H. Cooper, president and manager.

Members of this committee will call upon the business men this week, beginning today, for their annual subscriptions. It is anticipated that a liberal fund will be contributed, as larger and a greater number of prizes are offered this year, and the men in charge of the business interests of the city fully appreciate the educational and commercial value of this institution.

To Live in Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Worley Funk and children of Lincoln, Neb., who have been visiting at the home of Mr. Funk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Funk and other relatives, left this morning for Omaha, Neb., where they will make their home in future.

Kid Team Goes to Hopkins.

The Maryville kid base ball team, under young Costello, went to Hopkins today to play a boys' team of that town this afternoon.

BURN $4,000 SCHOOL BONDS

George Wright Applies Torch to Notes, Leaving $41,000 of $75,000 Yet to Pay.

While a large crowd looked on, George Pat Wright, secretary of the Maryville school board, applied a match to $4,000 in bonds at the northwest corner of Third and Main streets this morning and watched it go up in smoke. It represented the year's payment of a portion of the $75,000 in bonds contracted for several years ago to build the Central school building.

But $41,000 of the bonds remain to be paid off yet. Two payments of bonds were made the past year.

500 AT 'UTTER DAY' MEET

Retiring Superintendent of Christian Bible School Given Handsome Gift—Held Special Service.

Over five hundred people attended the special service yesterday morning at the First Christian Bible school as a farewell for the superintendent, Prof. Ennis R. Utter, and Mrs. Utter.

All plans were made for making the service an attractive one, and the program was carried out as announced, with the exception of a surprise in the way of a handsome gift for Mr. Utter, given by the members of the school. The gift was a fine leather traveling bag, and the presentation speech was made by Ellis G. Cook.

Beside the musical part of the program, an address on "Mr. Utter" was given by G. L. Wilfley, and an address on the subject "Mrs. Utter" was given by Miss Laura Hawkins. Mr. and Mrs. Utter gave a response to each, and this was followed by the talk by Mr. Cook.

An especial recognition and appreciation of the services of both Mr. and Mrs. Utter in the Bible school work was shown in the adoption of resolutions of love and respect, which were unanimously sanctioned by the entire school, and will become a matter of church record in future.

The committee framing the resolution which expressed the sentiments of the entire membership was composed of Ellis G. Cook, Mayor U. S. Wright, A. S. Robey and the Rev. Robert L. Finch.

Prof. and Mrs. Utter leave soon for Berkeley, Cal., where Mr. Utter will take a year's study course at the University of California.

NEAR-CENTENARIAN DEAD.

Jeremiah Finnigan, 96, Succumbs at St. Francis Hospital.

Jeremiah Finnigan, 96 years old, died late yesterday afternoon at St. Francis hospital in this city. Seven years ago, in company with his brother, who is but a few years younger, Mr. Finnigan came from Atchison, Kan., to make his home at the hospital, and had lived there continuously for that time.

The body, accompanied by two brothers from Atchison, Kan., who came to Maryville yesterday, will be taken to Atchison for burial, leaving here tomorrow morning.

CLEARMONT NINE DEFEATED.

Bedford-Hopkins and Burlington Junction-Clarinda Games Called Off On Account of Rain.

The Tarkio base ball team won from the Clearmont team by a score of 6 to 1 in a game played at Clearmont yesterday afternoon.

On account of the rain the game scheduled to be played at Bedford between the Bedford and Hopkins nines was called off, and instead the Hopkins nine played Pickering.

For the same reason the game to have been played at Bever park, Burlington Junction, by the Burlington Boosters and Clarinda, Ia., nine was deferred.

SWALLOW TEACHER QUITS.

Miss Clara Clymen Resigns Before School Begins—Former Teacher Marries.

Miss Clara Clymen, who was recently elected to teach the Swallow district school, ten miles south of Maryville, has resigned, according to notice received today by County School Superintendent Bert Cooper. She gave no reason. Miss Clymen taught at the Liberty school, near Skidmore, last term.

Miss Zella Barton, who taught at the Swallow school last term, quit last spring to get married.

ALL AID IN CIVIC CLUBDISPLAYMOVE

NODAWAY COUNTY AND BEDFORD BOOSTERS TO MEET TONIGHT.

COMMUNITY LEADERS WILL LAUNCH PLANS

Propose District Agricultural Exhibits at Fairs and Better Burlington Train Service—Banquet First.

The monthly banquet and meeting of the Maryville Commercial club in the basement of the Elks club at 6:30 o'clock tonight will not be entirely composed of local boosters by any means, nor even confined to leaders in Nodaway county, for several Iowans also are to be among those present.

Such is the announcement today of W. R. Jackson, club secretary, who has received definite promise of attendance by many living in all parts of the county and also from Bedford, Ia., boosters. Maulding's orchestra will furnish music during the banquet.

After the "eats," which will be plenty and wholesome, as well as palate teasing, the club members and guests will settle down to just two topics, no more no less—unless a few minor business matters of local importance might be considered at the start. But the real purpose of the meeting is twofold.

Plan Agricultural Displays.

First will come the consideration of township exhibits at the Nodaway county fair here next month, for which prizes have been offered for the best displays of agricultural products, and of a county exhibit at the Missouri state fair in Sedalia next fall.

Dan R. Baker will introduce that topic, while Prof. R. A. Kinnaird, who is to have charge of the county exhibit, will follow with an explanatory address. Others will then be asked to speak on the topic. Leaders for each township also may be appointed tonight.

The second topic will be to gather and present data relative to assuring connections on this branch of the Burlington with the fast eastbound trains at Creston at night. This is considered possible by holding No. 10 at Amazonia, instead of St. Joseph, for passenger trains from the west, and also by shortening the stopping time at the various stations enroute.

John H. Sewell will introduce that topic.

These Will Attend.

Among those who have already definitely announced their intention of being present tonight are: Frank Dunning, president of the Citizens' bank of Bedford, Ia., and W. H. Gooding of the jewelry firm of Gooding Brothers of Bedford, representing the Business Men's association of Bedford, Ia., and Frank Wilkins, a banker of Bedford; E. A. Miller, secretary, and two other members of the Hopkins Commercial club of Hopkins; Vern Wray, a merchant of Pickering; J. C. Hocker, banker, and Floyd Westfall, former member of the county court, of Barnard; Guy Clary and Roy Hanna of Clearmont.

Among others who are expected are: Ort Wilson, stockman, near Burlington Junction; George P. Shoptaugh, Elmo; William Gex, Graham; Sherman Heflin, White Cloud township; the Rev. C. R. Green, pastor at Harmony church, and Emmett Bishop of near Ravenwood.

S. A. Roach, a merchant, and John A. Field, a banker, of Barnard, also have signified their intentions of attending the Commercial club banquet tonight.

To Visit at Stanberry.

Mrs. R. S. Braniger and Miss Elizabeth Evans left this morning for Stanberry to spend a few days visiting Misses Ruby and Pearl Tibbetts.

*** THE WEATHER ***

Unsettled with probably rain tonight or tomorrow.

When Out of the Night Which was Fifty Below and Into the Den and the Glare, There Stambled A Miner Flush From the Creeks Dog Dirty and Loaded for Bear

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HOW TO WALK CORRECTLY.

To get the most from walking, you should learn to walk correctly. Be sure to hold your chest and head high. Keep your arms to your side or let them swing modestly.

You should have an energized carriage and the right way to get it is to get your movement from the hips. Walk with your legs, not by a swing or swaying of the whole body.

Step into the length and do not turn the knees out too much. See how smoothly you can glide along and take natural deep breaths as you move.

This will give you the feeling that you are being wafted through instead of laboriously treading on hard earth.

Tip the upper part of your body slightly forward to partly cover your feet. Try to forget your feet and create desire to attract attention to your head instead.

Strike down with the heel, but let the weight slip to the outer and fore part of the foot and this will break the jar on the sole of the foot and lessen the strain on the arch.

If you are not a walking enthusiast begin your regime gradually. Start to cover a mile, then two and gradually up to five or six. Any man or woman should be able to walk five miles and even six or eight without feeling any bad effects.

Mrs. Hoffman Here.

Mrs. John I. Hoffman arrived in the city this morning from Washington, D. C., to visit her mother, Mrs. Melissa Casteel.

Arrive from Kansas City.

Mrs. Jesse Daniels and children of Kansas City arrived in Maryville Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Strader, and Mr. Daniels' mother, Mrs. Anna Daniels.

Spent Week End.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frank spent the week end at Bolckow the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Dunn.

RADIUM EXPERT SAILS.

Dr. Bissell Will Treat Wounded In London Hospital.

New York.—Dr. Joseph B. Bissell, radium expert in the Bellevue and St. Vincent's hospitals, sailed for England on the Philadelphia.

Dr. Bissell has been invited to do special work in St. Mary's hospital, in London, with radium and radium solutions in the treatment of infected wounds. He will study the methods of radium treatment employed at the Radium institute of London and at similar institutions in Edinburgh, Manchester and Dublin. He has also been invited to visit the Paris Radium institute.

Dr. Bissell has the largest amount of radium possessed by any one person in New York city and is suggested as managing director of the radium institute being planned by philanthropists of this city.

PLANNING TO REMODEL ENTIRE CHINESE ARMY

Soldiers Will Be Equipped With Uniform Weapons.

Peking.—China's military forces are to be remodeled from top to bottom. As a first step arms of the line regiments are to be unified.

A most important conference has just been held at the Winter palace, the residence of Yuan Shih Kai. There were present, in addition to the president and his cabinet and the highest ranking military and naval officers, several of the most influential Chinese not officially connected with the government.

Problems of national defense were touched upon in a brief speech by the president, who made it clear that he regards war as the greatest among apparently necessary evils. His words made a deep impression upon those present, and in the discussion which followed there was absolutely single mindedness in indorsing Yuan's position. The conference decided that new decks were absolutely necessary; that the arsenals must be modernized and expanded; that service in the army must be popularized and adequately compensated; that coast defenses must be established and, where obsolete or inadequate, reconstructed, and that naval bases must be provided for north and south China.

The principal decision, however, was that of providing for the unification of Chinese armaments. The six army divisions, investigation has proved, use ten or more different types of guns. It is proposed to replace these with one style which will possess the best features of the best modern weapon.

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10 lb pkgs Cow Soda, 4 for 25c
25c sack (14 lbs) Fine Table Salt ... 18c
10c box (5 lbs) Table Salt, 4 for ... 25c
10c box Log Cabin Free Running Salt for 5c
5c cans Carnation or Pet Milk, 8 for 25c
15c grade Prunes, lb 10c
12½c grade Prunes, 3 lbs 25c
10c grade Prunes, 4 lbs 25c
3 lbs Dried Peaches, good ones 20c
15c quality Loose Muscatel or Seedless Raisins 3 lbs 25c
50-lb cans Lard Compound for ... $4.25
No. 3 pails Lard Compound for 25c
No. 3 pails Pure Lard, 50c size for 37c
No. 5 pails Pure Lard, 80c size for 60c
No. 10 pails Pure Lard, $1.50 size, for $1.20
No. 1 Michigan Non-Hardening Salt, extra large barrels $1.55
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3c per pkg Sunshine Takhoma Biscuits.
Fresh Peaches, large baskets 20c
Good Watermelons, lb 2½c
Quaker Rolled Oats, 10c pkgs for ... 8c
New Sweet Potatoes, 4 lbs 25c
No. 2, size cans Cove Oysters 15c
Rex Breakfast Bacon, 5 to 8-lb. pieces at per pound 17c
Our Best Japan Tea 60c grade, per pound 33c
Ice Tea Blend, prepared especially for making iced tea, per pound .. 45c
Fairy or Ivory Soap 10c bars 39c
100-lbs sacks purity brand Poultry Feed $2.00
Pure Cider Vinegar, 35c kind, gallon, (if you come for it) 19c
Swifts Sun Bright Cleanser, 4 cans. 15c
Nix Kitchen Cleanser, 5 cans 15c
1-lb Pure Ground Black Pepper ... 19c
Whole Mixed Pickling Spice ½ lb .. 12c
Best Creamery Butter, 2 pounds ... 55c
Pound Cans Royal Crown, or Planters House, Steel Cut Coffee 22c

TOWNSENDS
FOURTH AND MAIN STS

HOLT SCHOOLED IN BOMB MAKING

Practiced Work of Destruction In Bungalow on Long Island.

HEALTH POOR, HIS EXCUSE.

Man Who Shot Morgan and Then Ended Life Practiced Target Shooting. Acid Eaten Lead Pencils Used to Stir Deadly Mixture—Match Heads Used In Capitol Bomb.

New York.—Positive evidence showing that Frank Holt, who shot J. Pierpont Morgan and then ended his life in the Mineola (N. Y.) jail, had a secret storehouse for his explosives and that he experimented there with bombs and also practiced revolver shooting was discovered on Long Island.

A little bungalow on the outskirts of Central Park, a secluded hamlet six miles from Syosset and about twelve miles from Glen Cove, is where Holt, under the pseudonym of Totten, conducted his experiments. He left there on the morning of Friday, July 2.

Photos by American Press Association.

HOLT AND MR. MORGAN.

That night the capitol in Washington was dynamited, and the next morning the financier was attacked.

Chief Constable McCahill of Glen Cove, who had been scouring Long Island ever since Mr. Morgan was shot, heard that there had been a lot of gossip about Central Park concerning a strange man who had rented a tiny bungalow which stands in a thick clump of pine trees on the outskirts of the hamlet.

McCahill learned this man, tall, smooth shaved and with a receding chin, alighted from a train at Central Park and approached Richard Russell, a resident of the place. He asked if Russell could tell him where he could find Louis Ott, a real estate man of the village. Ott was not about at the time, so the stranger, who volunteered to Russell that his name was Hendricks and that he was an invalid, strolled about the village until the real estate man returned. To Ott he said:

"I am in very poor health, and my doctor has ordered me to a quiet place in the country. I would like a little cottage of some sort where I could have absolute rest and do some literary work. Who owns that small bungalow down there in the pines?"

Ott told him that a Mr. Arnold of Brooklyn owned the place and would rent it. So the stranger, now giving his name as Totten, engaged the bungalow for two weeks. He had with him a suit case the day he talked to Ott.

The few people who live thereabout naturally were interested in the newcomer. They noticed that each day he would start out, carrying his suit case in a way that indicated it was empty. He would return with the bag seemingly weighted down.

The banging of a revolver attracted the neighbors' attention, too, and they saw "Totten" firing at a target, which he placed at various distances ranging from ten feet to 100 yards.

When Constable McCahill heard this story from Ott he and Constable John Thompson of Oyster Bay drove over to Central Park and examined the place.

Their first glance at the interior was sufficient to show them that the place had been used as a bomb factory or at least as an experimental laboratory for the making of bombs. About the floors were scattered thousands of match sticks from which the heads had been cut. There were also dozens of full boxes of matches in a complete condition. It will be remembered that in his first confession Holt explained that he used match heads in making the capitol bomb.

Then, too, the constables found several acid eaten lead pencils, apparently used to stir a mixture of some sort of acid, and a tablecloth in which several great holes had been eaten by acid.

VOTE ON LIGHTS TOMORROW

Pickering Will Hold Special Election to Grant Franchise for Electric Lights to Maryville Firm.

A special election to vote on a proposition to grant a special franchise to the Maryville Electric Light and Power company to extend an electric lighting system there, will be held tomorrow at Pickering.

As submitted to the people of Pickering, the ordinance calls for an extension of current lines from Maryville to Pickering, and the installing of ten arc lights at the street intersections. The business men and property owners of Pickering subscribed $3,000 as their part of the cost of extension, the remainder of the cost to be paid by the Maryville company.

The money subscribed by the property owners will be paid back from the earnings of the system.

A unanimous vote in favor of the franchise is expected to be polled at the election tomorrow. No dissension has been expressed since the project was first taken up. Many farmers along the proposed route subscribed to the fund and will be able to obtain service, along with the Pickering residents, at the same rate given Maryville consumers.

SPECIALIST GIVES LECTURE.

J. L. McBrien, Educational Expert, Makes Address at Normal.

J. L. McBrien, a specialist in rural education, gave the last of a series of lectures at the State Normal school this morning, taking for his subject "A Glimpse of Some Great Men."

Mr. McBrien is in the employ of the United States bureau of rural education, and is making a tour of the summer schools. He arrived in Maryville Saturday morning and gave two lectures, one at 9 o'clock a. m. and one at 4 o'clock p. m. in the Normal auditorium. Mr. McBrien is an expert on rural educational conditions, and his lectures are entirely along that line. He left at noon today for Kirksville, where he will address the Kirksville normal school.

Quincy Visitors Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lugering and daughters of Quincy, Ill., who have been visiting relatives in Maryville and Clyde, left Saturday for their home. They were accompanied by Miss Coleta Linneman of Clyde, who will visit at Quincy several weeks.

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IS THE MILK WEED A FLOWER

Ask Louis, But Make the Tone Right From de Heart.

Ordinarily the humble milk-weed doesn't make much of an impression, does it? This sentinel of the country road is trod upon with impunity and seldom noticed. But there is one young man in Maryville who surely has developed a considerable respect for this plant of the milky juice, of the genus Asclepias.

Now, what would you think? What would you say and what would you do, if after days of promises from your lady love of flowers picked by her own hands, the expressman would deliver a package of these self-same milkweeds?

"Surely," she wrote him, "I am going to send you those flowers just as soon as the train service is restored. You see, I want you to get them in good condition. I am going to pick them with my own hands and send them to you as a token of my regard."

But surprise was turned to bewilderment and bewilderment to consternation when he opened the package.

Milk-weeds!

"Milk-weeds," laughed his friends. "So this was her token of regard."

A telegram elicited the information that she didn't send him flowers. Well, milk-weeds are not flowers, and besides, didn't the package come by prepaid and receipted express from her?

Eventually this receiver of the "token" has found it more pleasant to find other places of staying for a few days than his place of business.

Now, what would you do? What would you say and what would you think?

His name? O, Louis, "do have a heart."

To Visit at Bolckow.

Mrs. J. W. Houghtaling, who makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. C. A. McCoppin, left Saturday morning for Bolckow to spend some time visiting. Mrs. Houghtaling was accompanied by her brother, A. S. Berger, of Tamoca, Wash., and her sister, Mrs. W. F. Kirkpatrick of Kansas City, who have been guests at the McCoppin home.

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"We have Bwussels carpet."
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If your not one of the thousands who eat Butter-Nut, order a loaf from your grocer today, and prove its merit.

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GRANT CITY TO LIGHT UP.

Voters Decide 252 to 22 That Worth Metropolis Needs Street Lighting.

The proposition to light the streets of Grant City at $1,200 per year carried at the special city election Monday by a vote of 22 to 252. A two-thirds majority was necessary. The vote stood more than 11 to 1 in favor of the proposition.

About a month ago a similar proposition, with the exception that it was for five years instead of one, was turned down at a special election. It is thought that this was due, in part, to the fact that the voters were confused on the proposition.

In appreciation of the large majority for the proposition Monday the owners of the plant will light the white way from now until the first of August, when the new contract starts, without extra charge.

The contract takes effect August 1 and runs for one year, covering 29 white way poles and 55 lights in the residence section at a rate of approximately 6 cents per kilowat hour.

"Spooners" Hurts "Movie" Business.

Some of the older people claim before Hopkins secured street lights, that they were ignorant as to the ways of spooning, but they are now all wise to the game, the lights having made it possible for them to catch even more than a bird's eye view of the game, some of the "worst cases" resembling, "isn't it nice on Broadway scenes," with variations. It is killing the picture show business for many would rather watch the spooning than the pictures.—Hopkins Journal.

San Jose's new charter provides for a municipal manager. It will be interesting and instructive to observe its working out, for there is no doubt as to the merits of the project, theoretically considered.

The world's greatest harness horse, Nala; the world's greatest active roadster, Peter Pan, and the world's greatest saddle horses, Panama and Rex McDonald, were foaled in Missouri.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of W. A. Rickenbrode, registrar of the Fifth District Normal school of Missouri, at Maryville, Mo., until 1 o'clock p. m., on the 30th day of July, 1915, for the installation of additions to the heating system of its main building. Proposals must be in accordance with the plans and specifications, copies of which may be had at the office of the registrar in Maryville, Mo., on or after July 24th. A deposit of a certified check for twenty-five ($25.00) dollars will be required to guarantee the safe return of said plans and specifications. Proposals for this contract must be accompanied by a certified check for two hundred and fifty ($250.00) dollars, amount made payable to George M. Kemp, treasurer, as a guarantee that should the bidder be awarded the contract he will execute the contract and give satisfactory bond within five days provided for in the specifications, or in case of failure to do so, said check to be forfeited and retained by the board as liquidated damages. The successful bidder will be required to enter into contract to have the work specified completed by the 14th day of September, 1915, or forfeit the sum of twenty ($20.00) dollars per day for each and every day thereafter that work remains unfinished. The board reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. 19

GOV. CHARLES S. WHITMAN

Twice Prosecuted Becker For Murder and Now Holds Final Power.

Photo by American Press Association

PLEA OF CONVICT TO SAVE BECKER IS VAIN

Governor Whitman Says He Discredits His Story.

Albany, N. Y., July 26.—The personal appeal of Joe Murphy, Sing Sing convict, to Governor Whitman to save the life or stay the execution of former Police Lieutenant Charles Becker failed in its purpose.

The governor said he had "caught Murphy in a lie," and branded as untrue Murphy's entire story that he had overheard Jack Rose, "Bridgie" Webber and Harry Vallon, three important witnesses against Becker, conspire three years ago in the Tombs to place the blame for the murder upon Becker.

During the meeting the governor discovered that July 20 Murphy had talked with Becker in the death cell. The following day Becker's attorney was informed by Murphy of the alleged conspiracy three years ago. The ernor said he believed Becker and Murphy arranged the story of the alleged plot.

Navy Gets New Destroyer.

Bath, Me., July 26.—The torpedo boat destroyer Wadsworth has been take into Boston for delivery to the navy department by its builders.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

National League.	W.	L.	P.	American League.	W.	L.	P.
Phila	47	36	566	Boston	56	30	651
Brooklyn	47	39	547	Chicago	56	33	629
Chicago	43	42	506	Detroit	54	33	621
Pittsb'gh	42	43	494	Wash'ton	43	44	494
New York	40	41	494	New York	42	44	488
Boston	42	44	488	St. Louis	34	53	391
St. Louis	43	47	478	Cleveland	32	54	372
Cincin'ti	35	47	427	Phila	30	56	349
Federal League.				**American Ass'n.**			
Chicago	50	37	575	St. Paul	54	37	593
Kan. City	48	37	565	Ind'polis	51	40	560
St. Louis	48	39	552	Min'polis	49	43	533
Pittsb'gh	45	39	536	Kan. City	48	44	522
Newark	44	43	506	Cleveland	41	45	477
Brooklyn	41	50	451	Louisville	43	46	483
Buffalo	41	51	446	Milw'kee	41	49	456
Baltimore	32	53	376	Columbus	34	57	374
Western League.							
	W.	L.	P.		W.	L.	P.
D. Moines	56	31	644	Omaha	45	45	500
Denver	49	35	583	Sioux City	39	47	453
Lincoln	45	41	523	St. Joseph	34	50	405
Topeka	44	43	506	Wichita	33	53	384

BASEBALL RESULTS

National League.

At Cincinnati:

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	0	0	0
Cincinnati	0	0	0

Batteries: Mayer-Killifer; Dale-Clarke.

American League.

At Detroit:

	R.	H.	E.
Washington	0	0	0
Detroit	0	0	0

Batteries: Ayres-Henry; Dauss-Stanage.

At Cleveland:

	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	1	0	0
Philadelphia	1	0	0

Batteries: Walker-O'Neill; Knowlson-Lapp.

Second game:

	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	3	0	0
Philadelphia	0	0	1

Batteries: Harstad-Egan; Bressler-McAvoy.

Western League.

At Denver:

	R.	H.	E.
Omaha	0	3	0
Denver	0	6	1

Batteries: Everdon-Krueger; Sterzer-Spahr.

At Lincoln:

	R.	H.	E.
Lincoln	2	0	0
Sioux City	0	3	1

Batteries: Dawson-Yantz; Clark-Crosby.

At Wichita:

	R.	H.	E.
Wichita	0	0	2
St. Joseph	1	0	0

Batteries: Southern-Gray; Keifer-Bliss.

Second game:

	R.	H.	E.
St. Joseph	0	0	0
Wichita	0	0	5

Batteries: Wideman-Bliss; Riley-Griffith.

At Topeka:

	R.	H.	E.
Des Moines	0	0	0
Topeka	3	0	0

Batteries: Gilligan-Breen; Huggins-Monroe.

Second game.

	R.	H.	E.
Topeka	2	0	0
Des Moines	0	0	2

Batteries: Grover-Rapps; Thomas-Graham.

SOCIETY and CLUBLAND

By KATE SCHENCK

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Calendar.

The regular meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star will be held Tuesday night, and the presence of all officers is particularly requested. Special work planned for the last meeting was held over until this week, and the meeting tomorrow night is important.

The Yeomen lodge will give its usual monthly social Tuesday night in the W. O. W. hall. A pleasing program of entertainment has been arranged.

The Young Women's Mission Circle of the First Baptist church will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Emma Ballinger.

The Penelope club will hold its usual meeting Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. John P. Price, at the Price home, 324 West Sixth.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Presbyterian church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Gallatin Craig.

The Women's Home Missionary society of the First Methodist church will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George W. Null.

The Homemakers class of the Buchanan Street Methodist church will hold a benefit ice cream festival Saturday afternoon and evening on the lawn of the court house.

Dinner at Ream Hotel.

Mr. A. L. Nash was the host of a dinner given yesterday noon at the Ream hotel, when his guests were the Rev. Robert Lyle Finch, Mrs. Finch and son Robert, Jr.

Guests at McQuinn Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin McQuinn entertained a party of guests yesterday at the McQuinn farm, near Conception, who were Miss Irene Dougan, Miss Gladys Ford and her guest, Miss Irene Smith of Kansas City, Miss Ella Noel, James Philp and Paul Willson.

Parkdale Hosts Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bellows, the hosts at Parkdale farm, southwest of the city, gave a dinner Saturday night, at which their guests were Mrs. Joseph Douglas, Miss Nellie Douglas, Miss Mildred Bellows and Charles Bellows, Jr.

Announce Daughter's Arrival.

Mr. and Mrs. Beal Roseberry are receiving congratulations today on the arrival of a second daughter into their family circle, who came last night. The eldest daughter, Esther Ardelia, is a miss of eight years and is the only child beside the baby girl.

Gives Victrola Tea.

Miss Besse Scott entertained a few friends with a victrola tea last night complimentary to Miss Hazel Lake of Des Moines, Ia., who is visiting in the city. The guests were Miss Lake, Miss Nellie Campbell, Miss Ola Smith, Miss Kitty Grems, Mrs. Hazel Smith Staples, Miss Anna Parle and Miss Hilda Lahr.

For Miss O'Donnell.

Mrs. Mary O'Donnell was the hostess of a delightful dinner party given Saturday night at her home, 615 North Fillmore street, for the pleasure of her daughter, Miss Margaret O'Donnell, of Des Moines, Ia., who spent the week end in Maryville. Plates were laid for Miss O'Donnell, Mrs. Alice Lake, Mrs. Margaret Dougan, Miss Hazel Lake, Miss Elizabeth Heffern, Miss Mamie Kincaid, Miss Katherine O'Donnell, Miss Willa McCleave, Paul Basford, William O'Donnell, and the hostess.

Girls' Club Entertained.

The "Girls' Tatting club," recently organized, was entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Lacy, four miles northwest of the city, when their small daughters, Vivian and Inez, were hostesses. The club members are Ada Fisher, president; Mary and Ruth Fisher, Dorothy and Lumeda Nelson, Mabel Monroe, Hazel Belcher and Vivian and Inez Lacy. Frank and Willie Fisher were guests at the club meeting Wednesday.

For Mrs. Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Clum Aley gave a dinner at noon yesterday, entertaining in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Aley's mother, Mrs. Mary J. Cole. Those present were Mrs. Samuel Corken of Burlington Junction, Mrs. Sarah McDowell, Mrs. Cole, Miss Estelle McDowell and Mr. and Mrs. Aley and family.

Funk Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Funk were the hosts of a dinner given at noon Saturday at their home, on South Vine street, in honor of their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Worley Funk of Omaha, Neb., who are visiting home folks. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Funk and children, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Funk, Mr. and Mrs. John Awalt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stapler, and the hosts.

Linnemans Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. William Linneman were the hosts of a dinner given Friday night at their home, on West Cooper street, at which plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lugering and daughters, Mildred and Hilda, of Quincy, Ill., Miss Coleta Linneman of Clyde, and the hosts and family. The Lugering family, who have been spending several weeks with relatives in Nodaway county, left Saturday for their home.

Baker Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Baker were the hosts of a dinner party given at 1 o'clock yesterday at the Linville hotel, complimentary to a party of St. Joseph friends. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Peterson, Miss Ethel Peterson and Miss Mildred Peterson of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Gillam, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Wolfert, Miss Carrie Margaret Baker, Forrest Gillam and the hosts.

Birthday Surprise Party.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Souers were the honored guests of a surprise dinner party given them yesterday by a number of relatives. The gathering was especially arranged to celebrate the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Souers, and the guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Souers, Mrs. W. A. Bonewitz, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Frazee, Mr. and Mrs. George Stafford, Misses Lois and Edna Bonewitz, R. R. Souers, Harold Stafford and H. R. Souers.

Newly Weds Depart.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. David, whose marriage took place in this city Friday morning, left Saturday afternoon for Independence, Mo., where they will be at home after August 1 at 1119 South Main street. The marriage of Mr. David and his bride, nee Miss Mabel Bishop of Liberty, Mo., took place at 7:15 o'clock Friday morning at the home of Mr. David's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Gile. The home was beautifully decorated with bouquets of garden flowers. The wedding was very simply observed, the Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor of the First Baptist church, reading the lines of the ring service in the presence of a few close relatives. A dainty wedding breakfast was served after the ceremony by Mrs. Gile, assisted by her daughter, Esther, and Miss Eva Fern Rodgers of Chugwater, Wyo., who is a guest at the Gile home. Mr. David is engaged in the practice of law in Independence.

THE BANK FOR ALL THE PEOPLE
INDIVIDUAL SERVICE TO FIT YOUR NEEDS

NOT IN A DAY

MANY people, have wished they could establish a new character over night, or in a few days.

In the same way people wish for money or a bank account.

However character and a bank account are very much alike.

Neither can be established in a day, and both can only be formed by habit. This bank can soon help you form the money habit.

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MARYVILLE, MISSOURI
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TO RAISE EXPRESS RATES.

Commission Grants Companies Right to Increase Price on Certain Conditions.

The interstate commerce commission has decided that revenues of the principal express companies of the United States are inadequate and modified its former order to provide additional income.

The effect is to increase the collection and delivery allowance 5 cents for each shipment and to reduce the rail terminal allowance at the rate of one-twentieth of one cent a pound. As the weight increases, the 5-cent increase is gradually reduced, so that on shipments of more than 100 pounds the readjustment will not make any change.

Substantially no commodity rates will be affected. In all events any change in the rates will, with few exceptions, be substantially lower than those prevailing when the commission established the zone system in February, 1914.

By that means the express companies are expected to increase their gross revenues about 3.86 per cent.

Post County Fair Bills.

A. O. Mason and Charles Irwin went to Conception Junction, Cornell, Blockton, Ia., and Sheridan today to post bills advertisign the county fair to be held here August 30 and 31 and September 1, 2, 3 and 4. James A. Ford, manager, expects to go to Creston, Ia., tomorrow to post bills.

Decorator to Come Here.

J. P. Riche, a designer and decorator with the Emery-Bird-Thayer Dry Goods company of Kansas City, spent yesterday in Maryville, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Arnett. Mr. Richie will enter the employ of the Arnett Decorating company as designer and fresco decorator.

George A. Jones, living northwest of Maryville, has gone to Rochester, Minn., where he will take treatment at the Mayo Bros.' sanitarium.

OPEN UP VILLISCA BRANCH.

Trains Again Running on Nodaway Valley Line of Burlington.

The operation of through trains on the Villisca branch of the Burlington, which extends from Villisca, Ia., to Bigelow, was resumed last Saturday, after a tie-up of more than a week on account of flood washouts. Stub trains were run from Clarinda, Ia., to Quitman and from Bigelow to Skidmore for several days before the entire line was thrown open.

All branch lines of the Burlington in Missouri and Iowa are now open, though traffic is slow on several through bad track conditions yet.

Mrs. Corken Returns.

Mrs. Samuel Corken of Burlington Junction, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary J. Cole, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clum Aley, left today for her home.

Guest at Hanson Home.

Miss Edith Gallagher of St. Joseph is visiting in Maryville, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanson.

TO TAKE SPECIAL STUDY.

Harvey Watson Enters Stout Institute at Menomonie.

Harvey Watson left Saturday for Menomonie, Wis., where he will take a special course in manual training at Stout institute.

Enroute Mr. Watsqn stopped for a visit at Minneapolis, Minn., for a short time.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our kind friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown us in the recent bereavement of husband and father.—Mrs. J. F. Crigger and Family.

Held Service at Arkoe.

The Rev. Robert Lyle Finch, pastor of the First Christian church, held preaching services at the Christian church of Arkoe at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Chicago Guest Here.

Mrs. P. J. Sullivan of Chicago arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Tobin and other relatives.

The Wednesday Special
AT THE
Berney Harris Store
Is Men's or Boy's Shoes

Here is a chance to help your BOOSTER. For every 25c invested in Shoes on Wednesday we will give 500 Coupons—Everybody buy Shoes Wednesday and give your Booster a Big Boost.

Berney Harris

HARRY LAUDER
World-famous Scotch Comedian, says:

"Tuxedo, for mildness, purity and fragrance, THE tobacco for me. With my pipe filled with good old TUXEDO, all my troubles go up in smoke. In all my world-wide travels I've yet to find its equal as a slow-burning, cool-tasting, sweet-flavored tobacco. TUXEDO satisfies me completely."

Harry Lauder

Tuxedo Keeps the World in Good Humor

Here is the man whose life work is to make millions of people happy. In pursuing his call, he travels the wide world over. He is a great lover of his pipe, and in all sorts of corners of the earth he has tried all sorts of tobaccos.

What is his unqualified statement in regard to Tuxedo? Read it again: *"I've yet to find its equal."* This is the frank and candid opinion of thousands and thousands of experienced, judicious smokers. Tuxedo is absolutely the best all-around tobacco that modern tobacco science can make.

Tuxedo
The Perfect Tobacco for Pipe and Cigarette

Uncorking a tin of Tuxedo is like lifting the lid on concentrated sunshine. And then, when you fire up! Well! The first puff's a revelation, the second's a revolution, the third just gets you happy-like! Then you're off—just as sure as you'll see the green grass and hear the birds sing next Spring.

The exclusive "Tuxedo Process" brings out the unsurpassed mildness, delicate fragrance and mellow flavor of the Burley leaf in a way that has never been successfully imitated. At the same time it refines the tobacco until every trace of harshness and "bite" disappears.

YOU CAN BUY TUXEDO EVERYWHERE

Convenient, glassine wrapped, moisture-proof pouch . . . 5c
Famous Green Tin with gold lettering, curved to fit pocket 10c
In Tin Humidors 40c and 80c *In Glass Humidors 50c and 90c*

THE AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY

LIST OF DEAD REMAINS AT 1,000

Eastland Gives Up 820 Bodies of Victims.

RESCUERS CONTINUE THE WORK

Divers Believe All Removed From Vessel Except Those Crushed In Mud Under Port Side—Many Still In River—Work of Relief Under Way.

Chicago, July 26.—The death ship Eastland has given up the bodies of 820 of its dead. The estimated total number of those who went down to death in the Chicago river when the steamer, bearing 2,400 excursionists, rolled over at its dock remains at approximately 1,000.

Of the 2,480 persons on board at the time of the catastrophe, 1,072, including the crew of seventy-two, have reported as safe. Of the 588 thus remaining unaccounted for, it is believed 400 are alive and failed to report, and that 188 bodies still are in the river.

About three score more bodies were recovered. Divers concluded that all bodies have been removed save those that may have been crushed into the mud under the Eastland's port side and those that have gone down the river with the current.

Work of Relief Under Way.

While grief stricken thousands are searching through the morgue in the Second regiment armory for friends or relatives, state and federal officials have turned their attention to placing the blame for the catastrophe and the work of relief of those left destitute.

Acting Mayor Moorhouse and his advisors began raising a relief fund of $200,000 to be distributed by a subcommittee acting under the direction of the National Red Cross.

In addition to this, the Western Electric company, whose help formed the majority of the ill-fated excursion party, has announced that $100,000 from its employees' insurance funds is available for relief.

Coroner Hoffman announced that he had ordered the arrest of every official of the Indiana Transportation company, which leased the Eastland. The officers and crew of the boat are under arrest.

Various Theories Discussed.

Various theories as to what caused the Eastland to turn over still are being discussed, but without a prospect of a definite explanation until the coroner's inquest and the federal government's investigation are finished.

The most discussed theories are as follows: That the boat was overcrowded; that it was not properly ballasted; that the tug that made fast to warp the Eastland fast to the docks started pulling too fast; that congestion of passengers rushing to the port side, attracted by some passing sensation, tipped the steamer over.

The Eastland, said by marine architects to have been top heavy and ballasted in an uncertain manner, turned over inside of five minutes after it began to list, pouring its passengers into the river or imprisoning them in its submerged hull.

Every effort was made by thousands of persons on the river wharf to rescue the drowning men, women and children, but many drowned almost within grasp of the river bank. Mothers went to death while their children were snatched to safety. Other children died in the arms of their parents who were finally saved. Hundreds of girls, freed for a day from their tasks of making telephones and other electrical apparatus in the factory of the Western Electric company, dressed in their smartest white frocks, drowned miserably.

Many sank, entangled with clothing and bundles, and did not rise, but scores came to the surface, giving the river the appearance of a crowded bathing beach. Many seized floating chairs and other objects. Those on shore threw out ropes and dragged in such as could hold these lifelines.

Boats were put out, tugs rushed to the scene with shrieking whistles and many men snatched off their coats and sprang into the river to aid the drowning. With thousands of spectators ready to aid and the wharf within grasp, hundreds went to death despite every rescue effort.

Shortly after the water was cleared ship engineers and helpers were on the exposed side of the Eastland's hull, cutting through its steel plates with gas flames. Divers were hurried into underwater suits.

While those on land were disposing of the dead, injured and rescued, the divers in the heart of the sunken vessel sent up an almost constant stream of corpses.

Passengers Swarm to One Side.

About 7,000 men, women and children wended their way to the river wharf to fill five large lake steamers with holiday mirth in a trip to Michigan City. The steamer Eastland, brought to Chicago from Lake Erie, after an unsatisfactory career, was the first to be loaded.

Rain began to fall as the wharf superintendents lifted the gangplanks from the Eastland, declaring the government limit of 2,500 passengers reached. Then the passengers swarmed to the left side of the ships, as the other steamers drew up the river towards the wharf.

The ship turned slowly, but steadily, towards its left side. The whole cargo was impelled towards the falling side of the ship. Water began to enter lower portholes, and the ropes snapped off the piles to which the vessel was tied.

For nearly five minutes the ship turned before it finally dived under the swift current of the river.

Then there was a sigh of air escaping from the hold, mingled with crying of children and shrieks of women and the ship was on the bottom of the river, casting hundreds of its passengers into the water.

AT BAYONNE OIL STRIKE.

Policeman Interpreting Sheriff's Speech to Foreign Born Strikers.

Photo by American Press Association.

SCENES OF TRAGEDY AT CHICAGO MORGUE

Hearses Congest Street In Front of Armory.

Chicago, July 26.—Sorrow, which spread over the city with the Eastland disaster and engulfed thousands of homes, hung lowest over the silent forms of the victims in the drill room of the Second regiment armory, Chicago's temporary morgue.

Side by side they lay, from one end of the hall to the other, with narrow pathways between, along which slowly walked anxious hundreds seeking to identify a missing loved one. Time and again a group would pause beside a pitiful bundle. There would be a gasp, a low-voice exclamation, a merciful flow of tears and another would be taken from the list of unidentified dead and placed in the known column.

All through the night load after load of bodies were received at the morgue, and through the morning, at less frequent intervals, the procession continued.

While the victims were being identified, fifty undertakers and forty embalmers who had volunteered at the call of Coroner Hoffman worked rapidly in a space at the north end of the hall, preparing the bodies for burial.

As the morning wore along the Curtis street front of the armory become crowded with hearses, and the incoming stream of bodies from the improvised morgues and the overturned vessel was passed by another line of bodies, identified and in the keeping of an undertaker.

Before a body passed out the identification was recorded by a deputy coroner and the name of the nearest relative placed on file. So perfect had been the preparations for the work of the coroner that in a few hours less than 200 bodies remained in the temporary morgue.

BARS WANTON ACTS

Strike Deputies Must Shoot Only to Save Lives, Says Bayonne Sheriff.

Bayonne, N. J., July 26.—Sheriff Kinkead issued a warning that he will arrest the executive officers of the Tidewater Oil company if any of their armed guards fire on the crowd of striking employees except in defense of their lives.

"And when I say in defense of their lives I do not mean in defense of their property," the sheriff aaded.

"I'm at the limit of my resources unless Governor Fielder sends troops," he said. The strikers were aroused almost to the breaking point by the raid on their arsenal, in which the sheriff's men captured over fifty new Springfield rifles and a quantity of ammunition. They bitterly protested that the guards were allowed to keep their rifles and do sniping.

STANDARD OIL CHIEF AND DEPUTIES HELD

New York, July 26.—Samuel H. Edwards, general superintendent, and thirty-two guards of the Tidewater Oil company's plant in Bayonne, N. J., were arrested, charged with inciting to riot, by Sheriff Kinkead and his deputies. The arrests occurred after guards had fired shots near the plant.

WILL CONSERVE WORKERS' HEALTH

Three Score and Ten Heritage of All Men.

BIBLICAL LIFE LINE THE AIM

Many Large Industrial Enterprises Have Developed Just as Efficient Departments of Health as Are to Be Found In Most Advanced Municipalities—Seek Longer Life of Employees.

San Francisco.—The biblical limit of threescore and ten will eventually be the natural heritage of every man, and the railroads are engaged in an earnest effort to bring about this condition as promptly as possible, said Dr. C. W. Hopkins, chief surgeon of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway company, in a paper presented to the Academy of Medicine on "The Hospital Organization of the Railway System."

Dr. Hopkins pointed out that many large industrial enterprises had developed just as efficient departments of health as were to be found in the most advanced municipalities and sometimes made even greater per capita expenditure. The railroad physician or surgeon had an especially fine field before him, as the railways were finding it their duty not only to prevent accidents, but to prevent disease from crippling the efficiency of their armies of employees. "It is now a well recognized fact among the managements of the railroad," he said, "that it is just as important to care for their sick and injured as it is to maintain a certain standard of efficiency or perfection of their rolling stock and roadbed."

In considering the organization of such work he said the first consideration was the proper housing of railway employees, in order that the man could feel well in the environment of a home and be free from worry and anxiety. The next step toward efficiency lay in the direction of physical examination to determine the approach of disease in its incipient stage. "There should be an understanding with the workmen that this examination is not for the purpose of preparing him for the scrap pile," he said, "but for the purpose of maintaining a condition of bodily health that will materially prolong his working days, together with a higher degree of earning capacity and efficiency.

"Two general methods have been in use for some years by forty-two representative railroads of this country, with the general predominance in favor of the hospital organization, where the men themselves contribute a certain monthly amount toward their maintenance. Twenty-four of the forty-two railroads are today using the hospital organizations, some of which were established as long as fifty years ago. This was primarily brought about on account of a certain number of these roads running through a very sparsely settled country, where settlements and doctors were few and far between, and there were no hospitals, and where it was found that men often suffered and sometimes died because of lack of immediate and proper care. By a small contribution by the men they were enabled to receive the proper care by good men and to enjoy the comforts that were necessary toward their well being, and with but small cost to themselves.

"The other eighteen roads employ surgeons and hospitals and treat their men for occupational injuries, paying all bills for such treatment and care without the small monthly assessment contributed by the men. There have been many arguments by learned economists both for and against each method."

"The Transportation of Consumptives" was exhaustively considered in a paper by Dr. Henry B. Hemenway of Evanston, Ill. Dr. Hemenway said that, although consumptives were prone to travel in greater numbers than any other one class of persons afflicted with disease, humanitarianism, as well as law, would protect them in their desire to travel unless it be shown that their journeys particularly endangered their fellow travelers. The conclusion to which he came after reviewing statistics and laws bearing on the subject was that the dangers involved were comparatively slight and that any attempt at segregation of consumptives during transportation was impracticable.

If the federal government were to undertake restriction of the travel of consumptives in the United States, he said, it could do so only if the nuisance were very real. One thing to be considered, he said, was the fact that most cases of tubercular infection occurred during childhood and that the large proportion of travelers were adults. Again, if there were special dangers to the traveling public we should find passenger brakemen and conductors showing a higher consumptive rate than similar employees on freight trains. But the reverse is the case, he said, and quoted a number of authorities to that effect.

Seeks Aid of Employers.

New York.—It was announced at the offices of the National Security league that the league has begun a nation wide campaign to induce large corporations and other employers of labor to encourage their employees to join the national guard or naval militia organizations.

MAIL BY AUTOMOBILE.

Proposed That Minimum Length of Runs Will Be Fifty Miles.

Washington.—"Rural mail service by automobile will begin on a large scale Aug. 2," says a statement by the post-office department. "Thereafter, under orders thus far signed by Postmaster General Burleson, 105 machines carrying mail will traverse more than 5,500 miles of rural post roads daily except Sunday.

"The first dispatch of rural mails by auto was made July 1. Two pioneer routes radiating from Quarryville, Pa., the one 55.1 and the other 56.8 miles long, went into operation on that date. Additional orders are pending providing for numerous other motor routes, and it is probable that many more will be approved in time to become effective in August.

"Preparatory to the introduction of this service wherever it will be advantageous to the rural public, surveys of special needs and conditions in every state are being made. Rapid increase of automobile mileage in the R. F. D. is certain during the coming fiscal year. Prospects are that the rural mail auto will soon be as familiar in the great farming sections of the country as the present box-like rural carrier's wagon. Where roads are good the automobile promises to effect a huge economy of time and labor and vastly to enlarge the postal facilities of the districts served.

"The routes now about to be operated by machine are from fifty to sixty miles long. Time schedules vary from six to eight hours. In some cases the new auto routes represent the extension of present wagon routes, but for the most part they are combinations of two or more routes now served by separate carriers, each with a horse drawn vehicle. In the same or less time than is required to do a twenty-five mile route by wagon the auto will serve a fifty or sixty mile route. The machine will have from four to five times the carrying capacity of the wagon."

GUNNERS CAN TELL KIND OF SHELL FIRED

Many Saved by What Is Called "Artillery Ear."

Berlin.—The war has developed what might be termed an "artillery ear," especially among the soldiers in this branch of the service, which enables them to judge accurately what kind of shell is being fired at them and whether or not it is aimed at their battery or at some other spot. Many lives have been saved by this gradually developed oral alertness.

The artillerist, explains an officer who has been in the field for months, is able almost instinctively to tell whether a shell is headed for his battery or not. The men have learned to pay not the slightest attention to a shot that gives off the peculiar sound indicating that it is aimed at some other battery or position. Because of the confusing noise of the artillerist's own battery the squad tending it usually is divided into two groups, one of which listens for the shells of the opponents and gives the warning to dive for the shelters back of the guns. The men learn to talk with pauses between each word, listening meantime for the telltale whistle of the dangerous shell. Only in the case of the small field cannon, fired at a range of, say, 2,000 yards, is it impossible to hear the shell in time to dive into the security of the sheltering "understand." Those shells have reached their mark about as soon as the sound of their discharge.

The twelve centimeter, flat trajectory guns, on the other hand, give just enough warning so that the men can make one dive. There isn't one fraction of a second to be wasted, but by quick action the artillerist can save himself. The big howitzers, however, give nearly half a minute's warning. As the officer puts it, one can hear the shells from these guns and still cut off a slice of wurst and take a swallow from one's field bottle before seeking shelter. The shelter in this case must be a genuine shelter, consisting of about three layers of heavy wood and two yards of earth and stone, else the shelter and artillerists are gone.

SUNDAY'S A "DAY OFF."

For Prisoners In Kansas City Jail Colony.

Kansas City, Mo.—Prisoners who have families and who are confined at the municipal farm at Leeds are to be allowed to go home to spend Sundays with their families, provided they can be trusted.

The Sunday paroles will be granted by J. O. Stutsman, superintendent at the farm. The men who will be paroled will go home after finishing their work on Saturday and will return in time to begin on Monday morning.

The paroles will depend entirely on a merit system. If the plan works successfully it may be extended to trustworthy men who are not married.

Carp Comes When Called.

Sandusky, O.—Theodore Sharp, a fisherman, claims to be the owner of the only educated carp in existence. Sharp says the carp, which weighs nearly forty pounds and when out of the water resembles to a marked degree a fat hog, will come to him when he whistles, that it will eat out of his hand and that when he is out in a boat will follow him around, swimming close astern near the surface.

THOUSAND ARE KILLED

President Orders Funston to Use Force on Border.

Laredo, Tex., July 26.—Fighting between Villa and Carranza troops in the vicinity of Icamole, and Villa and Garcia, near Monterey, during the last ten days, has resulted in the loss of at least 1,000 dead and twice that number wounded.

Washington, July 26.—Orders were issued, with the approval of President Wilson, to Major General Funston to repel with force, if necessary, any firing into American territory during the fighting between the factions in border towns and a note was dispatched to General Carranza advising him of that fact.

Soon afterward advices from Vera Cruz to the Carranza headquarters here said the general had specifically instructed General Calles, his commander before Nogales, not to attack the Villa forces there and gave assurances that the Carranza force which occupied Naco would withdraw, leaving a civil administration in charge. The garrison marched out.

MEXICO CITY IN REDS' HANDS

Two Hundred Indians of Zapata's Forces Are In Possession of Capital.

Mexico City, July 26.—The city is in the hands of a band of 200 Indians, Zapata forces. In retreating, have torn up the railroad to Cuernavaca and Toluca. All business houses and bakeshops are closed and even the well-to-do find difficulty in buying food. The relief committee is unable to help and the lack of food is being keenly felt. There is no communication with the outside world, except by courier.

This is the latest word to come out of Mexico City. It was sent one day after Carranza forces evacuated the capital to meet an approaching Villa column.

CHURCH URGES ENLISTMENT

Clergymen In London Appeal to Patriotism of Men and Women.

London, July 26.—Special "recruiting services" were held in all the churches of the London diocese of the Church of England.

Clergymen, at the request of the bishop of London, urged all men of military age who are qualified to offer their services to the army and all women not hampered by other duties to volunteer for work in the munitions factories.

German Submarines Sink 5 Vessels.

London, July 26.—German submarines resumed their activity in English waters, sinking a French steamer and four British trawlers. One of the undersea boats is reported to have been destroyed by bombs and gun fire.

Germans Land Army Corps Near Libau

London, July 26.—A Petrograd dispatch says: "Private messages from Riga report that the Germans have landed an entire army corps on the coast near Libau."

Returns to Canada.

Joseph McGinness, who has been spending the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McGinness, living near Bedison, has returned to Calgary, Alta, Canada, where he has been employed for some time with the Remleu Harvesting company.

On Colorado Visit.

Mrs. J. C. Curfman and small grand daughter, Virginia Curfman, will leave Wednesday morning for Salida, Col., where they will visit Mrs. Curfman's son, Dr. George Curfman, and family. They will also spend several weeks at the Colorado mountain resorts before returning.

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HOLD PARKS RITES TODAY.

Funeral of Aged Woman Takes Place at Home of Son.

The funeral services for Mrs. Thomas Parks, who died yesterday at the home of her son, Ed Parks, six miles east of Burlington Junction, were held at the home place this afternoon.

Mrs. Parks was quite aged and had been in poor health for some time. Her husband died about six months ago. She had made her home for a number of years with her son and his family.

Return from Omaha.

Mrs. E. L. Ferritor and daughters and Miss Martha Helpley returned last night from a visit with friends at Omaha.

Bryan to Speak at Clarinda.

William Jennings Bryan will speak at the Chautauqua at Clarinda, Ia., August 17, according to announcement from there today.

To Visit Parents.

County School Superintendent Bert Cooper spent Sunday with his parents at Gaynor City.

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FOR RENT—Critchfield home. Apply E. H. Bainum. 24-27

WANTED—Girl's bicycle, 20-inch frame, in good repair. Margaret Louise Hosmer, 529 West Third. 17-30

FARM HAND WANTED—Call Walter Williams, Farmers phone 415. Route 1. 23-26

WANTED—Woman to do plain cooking. Call or write W. L. Job, route 6, Farmers phone 17-20. 23-26

Maryville city property at a bargain if taken at once. Cash and terms. See John F. Hansen, administrator. 23-26

WANTED—Men between the ages of 18 and 40 to go to Kansas City on a vacation trip. All expenses paid. Apply Armory hall on Wednesday night. 26-28

For Sale.

FOR SALE—400 bushels of corn. Call or see Allen Bros. 23-26

FOR SALE OR RENT—7-room cottage, 5 blocks from square. Call Farmers phone 210. 26-28

FOR SALE—Household furniture. Inquire 611 N. Market. Mrs. J. C. Tilson, Hanamo 157. 23-26

FOR SALE—Mare pony and colt; gentle for women and children; 4 shoats, weight about 50 pounds; 2 Jersey cows, 3 and 4 years old; Jersey heifer calf. Hanamo 668. 24-27

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